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## Foreword

This is a year we will never forget—a year during which we have strived and worked for the fulfillment of our ideas and plans.

There will always be nostalgic memories—the laughter in the halls, the morning announcements, report cards, the patient and understanding attitude of our teachers, cramming for exams, dances, the friends we've made—all this we know as H.H.S.

And, whether writing a theme or raising our voices in the Alma Mater, within us there was a certain feeling that this year was not just another year, but one that will never be forgotten. This year—1951.



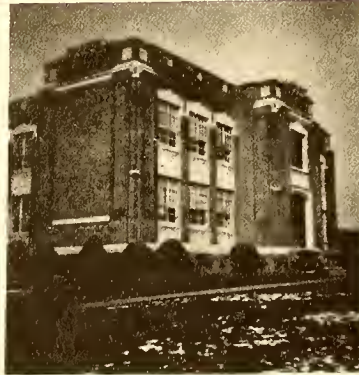


## Alma Mater

Hail to the dearest school of all,  
Alma Mater mine.  
Loyal we will be to thee,  
Singing praises thine.  
When high school days are over  
And we leave this blessed shrine,  
We'll win the victory and the  
Right for Alma Mater and  
The blue and the white



## Our School





## Dedication

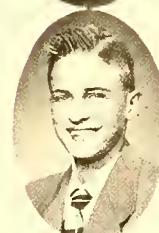


To Mr. Robert B. Harrison, who has been for several years both teacher and friend to the student body of Henderson High, we do proudly dedicate this the 1951 PEP-PAC.

THE STAFF.



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## Seniors

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B. C. HEDGPETH  
*Prophet*

EARLENE BRUIN  
*Testator*

IRIS BLUE  
*Poet*

*Flower:* Hydrangea

*Motto:* We part only to meet  
again

*Colors:* Pink and Lavender



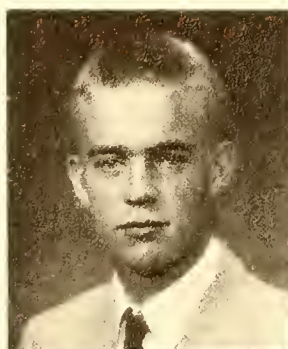
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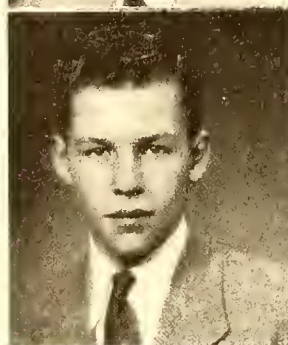
*"Blue eyes, blonde hair, that's Ray,  
Always happy and always gay."*

Band 9; Dramatics Club 9, Jr. Red Cross Council  
Jr. Varsity Football 10; Camera Club 10; Football  
11.

DOROTHY ANN ADCOCK

*"A charming girl with a friendly smile;  
She keeps you happy all the while"*

Dabney High 9, 10, 11.



WILTON LEE ADCOCK, JR.

*"Though he's new to our ways,  
We'll remember him all our days."*

Dabney High 9, 10, 11; Student Council 12; Mono-  
gram Club 12.

ALICE MARIE AYSCUE

*"She excels in all at school,  
We know she'll never break a rule."*

F.H.A., program Committee 10, 11; Typist for  
Dean of Girls 12.



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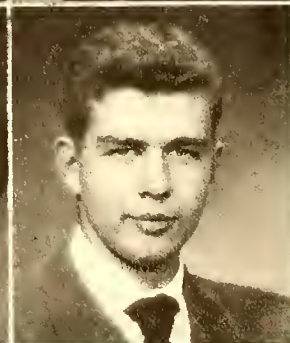
*"Though a bashful boy,  
He is full of joy."*

Football 9, 11, 12; Library Club 12; Jr. Rotarian  
12; Homeroom President 12.

IRIS BLUE

*"How very petite  
And also sweet."*

Marshal 9, Jr. Majorette 9, Majorette 10, 11, 12;  
Glee Club 9, 10, 11; Girl Sextet 11, Student Council  
9, 10, 11; Senior Poet 12.



FLORA BOBBITT

*"A gay 'hello' for everyone  
She's always full of fun."*

Dramatics Club 9, Dramatics Club Show 9; Library  
Club 9; Glee Club 9; President of Homeroom 10;  
Junior Play; Cheerleader 10, 11, 12.

JAMES GRADY BRAFFORD, JR.

*"Another like him will never be known.  
We're glad he is our very own."*

President Freshman Class 9; Football 9, 10, 12;  
Student Council 10, 12; Vice-President Student  
Body 11; Key Club 10, 11, 12; President Key Club  
12; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; President Senior  
Class 12; Superlative 12.

# Seniors

EARLENE BRUIN

*"Enough about her cannot be told,  
When she was made, they broke the mold."*

Homeroom Officer 9, 10; Glee Club 9, 10, 11; Manager of Junior Varsity Basketball Team 9; Junior Play 11; Chairman for Jr.-Sr. 11; PEP-PAC Staff 12; Bulldog Staff 12; Dramatic Club 9; Testator 12.

ELIZABETH BRUIN

*"A sweet girl, full of grace,  
With attractive ways and attractive face."*

Glee Club 9, 10; Substitute Cheerleader 10, Cheerleader 11, 12; Junior Varsity Basketball 9; Varsity Basketball 10, 12; Monogram Club 11, 12; French Club 11; Jr.-Sr.; Student Council 12; Hall Monitor 12; Bulldog Staff 12.

HETTY JANE BUTCHER

*"Cute, neat, nice and sweet,  
A girl that's hard to beat."*

Homeroom Officer 9; Freshman Class Officer 9; Glee Club 9, 10; Jr.-Sr. Program Committee 11; Program and Ticket Committee for Junior Class Play 11; Flag Bearer 12; Bulldog Staff 12; Superlative 12.

ARTIE D. CLAYTON

*"A friendly smile for everyone,  
Regardless of what is said or done."*

Football 9; Library Club 9; Manager of Football Team 10, 11; Superlative 12.

MARVIN COGHILL

*"To joke about all is his pride.  
He takes everything in his stride."*

BARBARA JANET COTHRAN

*"As pretty a girl as you'll ever find,  
She's also sweet, nice, and kind."*

Dramatic Club Play 9; Music 9, 10, 11, 12; Glee Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Majorette 9, 10, 11, 12; Beta Club 10, 11, 12; Student Council 11; State Student Council Congress 11; Committee Jr.-Sr. 11; Jr.-Sr. Junior Play 11; Vice-President Homeroom 11; Marshal 9, 10; Senior Class Secretary 12; PEP-PAC Staff 12; Superlative 12.

FRANCES DELBRIDGE

*"This girl is full of glee;  
One of the sweetest you'll ever see."*

Glee Club 9; Basketball 9; F.H.A., Vice-President 10; Dramatics Club 9, Secretary 10; Cheerleader 11, 12.

HERMAN RUTH DENTON

*"Bright and happy all the way through,  
His troubles will always be fun."*

Dramatic Club 9; Library Council 10.





# Seniors



LOVE JOY DICKERSON

*"Life to her is just play  
With everything bright and gay."*

Cheerleader 9, 10, Chief 11, 12; Basketball Team 9, 10, 11, 12; 4-H Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Monogram Club 11; Junior Play 11; Volleyball Team 11; Latin Club 9, 10; Co-Captain Basketball Team 11; Miss Bulldog 11; Glee Club 9; G.A.A. 11; Student Council 9.

CLAUDE SWANSON DODD

*"He's gay, witty, and full of fun  
Still he get's his work done."*

Homeroom Officer 9, 10; Student Council 9, 11, 12, Representative 11, 12, Treasurer 12; Glee Club 9, 10; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Band Dance Committee 10, 11; Pit Band 10, 11; Junior Play 11; President of Band 12; Key Club 11, 12; PEP-PAC Staff 12; Bulldog Staff 12; Superlative 12.

EDISON DUKE

*"There are moments when silence prolong and unspoken  
More expressive maybe than all words ever spoken."*

MYRA EVANS

*"She's very quiet and very calm,  
Hope she never comes to harm."*

Jr.-Sr. Committee 11; Library Council 12; Student Council 12; Hall Monitor 12; Bulldog Staff 12; PEP-PAC Staff 12.

FREDERICK AMOS GARRETT

*"Very strong and very sure  
His is a friendship that will endure."*

Dramatic Club 9, Vice-President Junior Class 11; Latin Club 12; Band 12.

PATSY GLENN

*"Very talented, sweet and cute  
This no one will dispute."*

Student Council 9; Hall Monitor 9; Glee Club 9; Junior Dramatics Club, Chairman of Program Committee, Cheerleader 10, 11, 12; Jr.-Sr. Committee Chairman 11; Junior Play 11; Marshal 11; French Club 11; PEP-PAC Staff 12; Monogram Club 12.

PHILLIP THOMAS GRIFFIN

*"Hair of brown, eyes of blue  
His faults are very few."*

Junior Varsity Basketball 9; Dramatic Club Officer 9; Baseball 9, 10, 12; PEP-PAC Staff 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Junior Play 11.

DAVID HARTWELL GUPTON

*"Happy am I; From care I'm free  
Why aren't they all contented like me."*

Varsity Basketball 9; Dramatic Club 9, 10; Football 9.

# Seniors

MERDICE GUPTON

*"She's a girl you'll love to meet  
And a pal that can't be beat."*

Zeb Vance 9, 10, 11.

RAY HANFORD

*"Good in everything he tries  
His success will be no surprise."*

Football 11, 12; Homeroom Officer 12.

JACK HARPER

*"Always at ease  
Always tries to please."*

Dramatics Club 9; Band 9, 10, 11, 12.

ANNE ROSE HARRIS

*"She's one that's really rare  
With blue eyes and long blonde hair."*

F.H.A. 9, 10, 11, Treasurer, District Vice-President 11; Dramatic Club 9, Dramatic Club Play 10; Majorette 10, 11, 12.

MARY LOUISE HARRIS

*"Blue eyes, blonde hair, a Southern Bell  
Everyone agrees that she is swell."*

Junior Varsity Basketball 9; Varsity Basketball 10, 11, 12; Glee Club 9, 10; Dramatic Club, Play 9; PEP-PAC Staff 12; Bulldog Staff 12; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Band Dance Decoration Committee 11; Pit Band 10, 11, Student Gymnastics Instructor 12; Chairman Popularity Contest 11; Volleyball Team 11; Football Sponsor 9; G.A.A. 11; Monogram Club 12.

BENJAMIN CARROLL HEDGPETH

*"Loud, outspoken, carefree ways  
Those about him look amazed."*

Junior Varsity Football 8, 9; Varsity 10, 11, 12; Dramatic Club 10; Monogram Club 11, 12; Co-Captain Football Team 12; Shrine Bowl Bid 12; Class Prophet.

GRACE BOYD HICKS

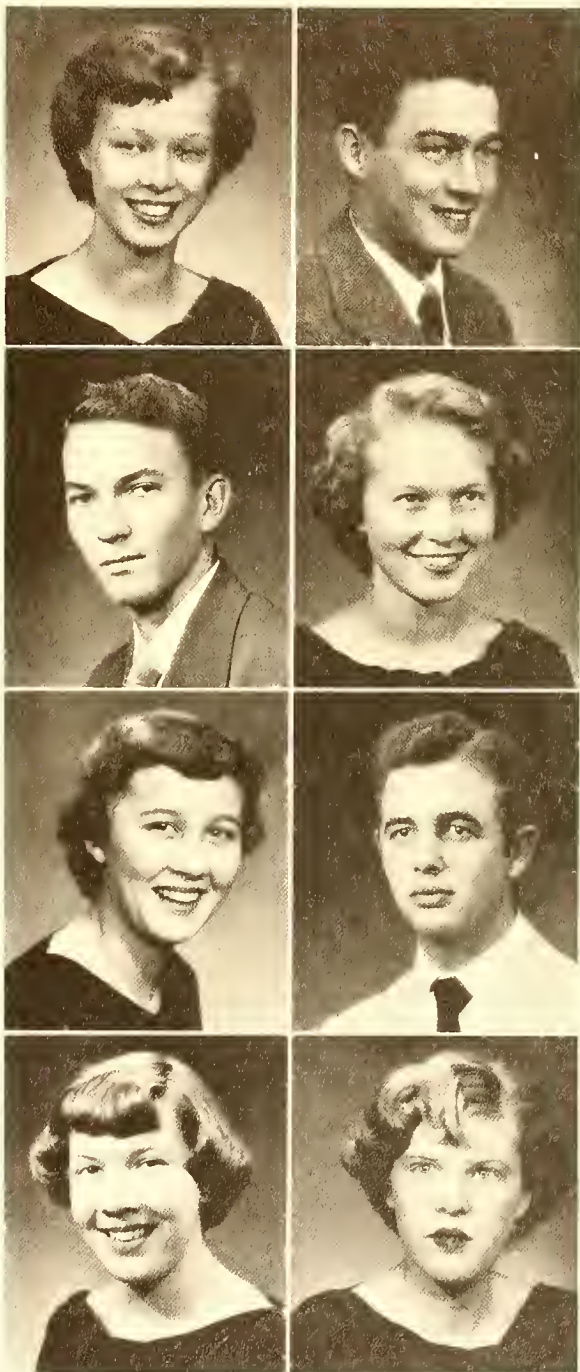
*"A girl so smart  
It's quite an art."*

Junior Varsity Basketball 9; Dramatics Club, Play 9, 10; Marshal 10; Beta Club 11, 12; G.A.A. 11, 12; Jr.-Sr. Decoration Committee 11; Junior Play 11; PEP-PAC Staff 12; Editor Bulldog 12; Superlative 12; Career Day Committee 12.

JEAN FOSTER HICKS

*"Known by everyone,  
She's full of fun."*

Glee Club 9; Dramatic Club 9, Vice-President 10; Basketball Manager 10; Monogram Club 11, Treasurer 12; Junior Play 11; Superlative 12.



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# Seniors

## WILLIE LEE HICKS

*"Full of jokes, laughs and pep  
Never quiet, that his rep."*

Student Council 9, Chairman Sympathy Committee 10; Homeroom Officer 9, 12; Treasurer Junior Class 11; Manager of Football Team 9, 10; Manager of Baseball Team 9; Hall Monitor 10; Monogram Club 10; Dramatic Club 9; Ticket Committee Junior Play 11.

## NORMA ANN HIGHT

*"Most popular is she  
An that we'll agree."*

Class Officer 9; Junior Varsity Basketball 9; Student Council, Housing Committee for Conference 10; Basketball 10; Jr.-Sr. Waitress 10; Homeroom Officer 10; Cheerleader 10, 11; Junior Play 11; Monogram Club 11, 12; Vice-President Senior Class 12; Flag Bearer 12; Office Staff 12; Secretary Band 12; Superlative 12.

## MARTHA HINES

*"A bright little girl with sweet little ways,  
When Martha's your friend, your friend she stays."*

Townsville 10; Library Council 12; Jr.-Sr. Committee 11.

## ROBERT LEE INSCOE

*"Idle, slow and unconcerned,  
He went to class and sometimes learned."*

Glee Club 9, 10; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Band Dance Committee 11; Dramatic Club 9; Junior Varsity Basketball 9; Superlative 12.

## ANNE McKNIGHT IRVIN

*"She's a dear,  
From all you'll hear."*

Glee Club 9; Dramatic Club 9, 10; Junior Play 11; Homeroom Officer 11; Flag Bearer 12.

## ETTA MAE JENKINS

*"Her quiet ways, her friendly smile,  
Make her friendship well worth while."*

Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Band Librarian 10; Library Club 9; Glee Club 10;

## DOROTHY ANN JOHNSON

*"In everything she's great  
With us, she'll always rate."*

F.H.A. Song Leader 9, Secretary 10; Library Council 12; Jr.-Sr. Committee 11; PEP-PAC Staff 12.

## ALICE WHITFIELD JONES

*"If a task is once begun  
She never leaves till it's done."*

Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Dramatic Club 9, 10, G.A.A. 11; Library Council 9, 12.



# Seniors

## JIMMIE C. KNIGHT

*"Girls, don't rush  
You make me blush."*

Monogram Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Homeroom President 9, 11; Junior Varsity Basketball 9; Football 9, 10, 11, 12, Co-Captain 12; Student Council 10; Dramatic Club 10; Key Club 11, 12; *Bulldog* Staff 12.

## CECIL THOMAS LEWIS

*"A hearty laugh, a gay smile  
Makes for him life worth while."*

New Hanover High School 9; Manager Football Team 10; Vice-President of Homeroom 12; *Bulldog* Staff 12.

## OFFIE R. LOCKEMY, JR.

*"When he's along  
You'll have a song."*

Football Team 9, 10, 11, 12; Monogram Club 9, 10, 11, 12; Camera Club 9; Baseball Team 11, 12; Baseball Manager 9, 10; Key Club 11, 12; President Sophomore Class 10; Dramatic Club 9; Basketball 9; Co-Captain Football Team 12.

## BOBBY DONALD MARCOM

*"Nothing gets him down  
You're gay when he's around."*

Student Council 10; Homeroom Officer 11; Junior Play 11.

## REGINAL G. MASON

*"He's always full of fun and joy  
A favorite with any girl or boy."*

Student Council 9, 11, President Student Body 12; Secretary Sophomore Class 10; Key Club 10; Lieutenant Governor, Vice-President 11, Lieutenant Governor International 12; Junior Varsity Football 10; Beta Club 10, Vice-President 11, 12; Junior Class President 11; Junior Play 11; State Winner American Legion Oratorical Contest 11.

## IDA ROSE NETHERY

*"Gay and happy, what a teen!  
This little girl is really keen."*

Junior Varsity Basketball 9; Varsity Basketball 10, 11, 12; Cheerleader 10, 11, 12; Volleyball Team 11; Student Council 9; Football Sponsor 9; Monogram Club 11, 12; Dramatic Club 10; G.A.A. 11, 12; Alternate Flag Bearer 12; Superlative 12; Miss *Bulldog* 1950 12.

## WILLIAM A. NEWCOMB

*"A winning way, a cute smile,  
And Always dressed in style."*

Homeroom Officer 9, 10; Band 9; Football Team 10; Jr.-Sr. Committee 11; Junior Play Usher 11; Superlative 12.

## IVEY TALMAGE POOLE, JR.

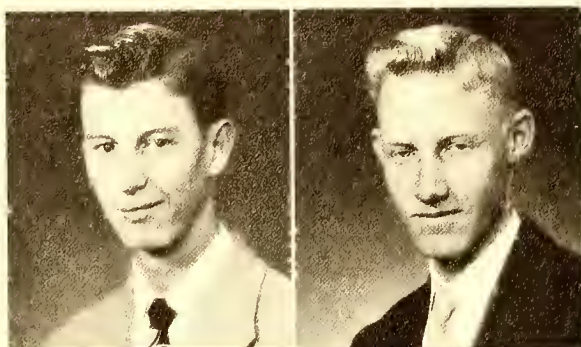
*"Happy and gay  
Throughout the day."*

Bailey High School 9, 10, 11; *Bulldog* Staff 12; French Club 12.





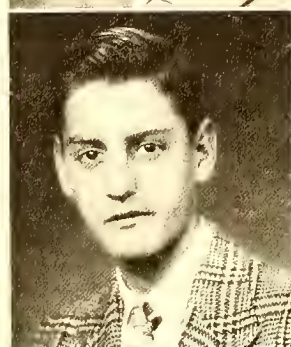
# Seniors



CHARLES RENN

*"Freedom all solace to man gives  
He lives at ease that fully lives."*

Junior Varsity Basketball 8, 9, 10; Band 8, 9, 10;  
Varsity Basketball 11; Office Staff 12.



LAWRENCE RENN

*"Life is a jest and all things how it  
I thought so once and now I know it."*

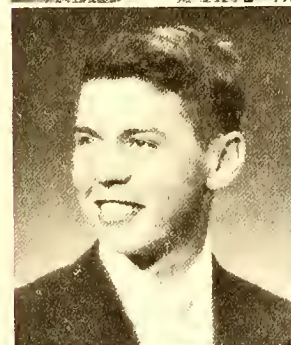
Dramatic Club 9; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Football  
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RANDALL LOWRY RENN

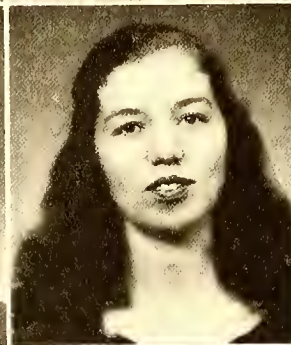
*"Be always as merry as ever you can  
For no one delights in a sorrowful man."*

Junior Varsity Basketball 9, 10, 11; Bulldog Staff  
12.



JACK THOMAS ROBERSON

*"A man of gladness  
Seldom falls into madness."*



SIDNEY ROBERSON

*"A little nonsense now and then  
Is relished by the best of men."*

Junior Varsity Basketball 9; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Drum  
Major 9, 10, 11, 12; Varsity Baseball 9, 11, 12;  
Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; Dramatic Club 9, 10;  
Superlative 12.



JEAN FEREBEE SATTERWHITE

*"A guardian angel over her presiding  
Doubling her pleasures, her cares dividing."*

G.A.A. 11, 12; Carnival Committee 12.



EARLENE REBECCA SMITH

*"By the seniors she was found  
To be the girl who's best all-round."*

Junior Varsity Basketball 9; Varsity Basketball 10,  
11, 12; Student Council 9, 12; Glee Club 9, 10;  
Monogram Club 12; Superlative 12; Secretary  
Junior Class 11; Junior Play Usher 11.



AMY LEE STAINBACK

*"She's the best  
Of all the rest."*

Library Club 10; Marshal 9, 10, Chief 11; Glee  
Club 9, 10; Beta Club 10, 11, 12; Jr.-Sr. Committee  
11; Student Council 10; Secretary 11; Junior Play  
11; Editor PEP-PAC 12; Superlative 12; G.A.A. 11;  
Representative State Library Convention 10.

# Seniors

## THOMAS E. STEGAL

*"Tell me not in mournful wishwash  
Life's a sort of sugared dishwash."*

Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Dramatic Club 9, 10, Vice-President 11; Dramatic Club Play 9, Play Usher 10; Band Dance Committee 9; Latin Club 11.

## BOBBY FRANK THOMAS

*"He's a friend  
You should win."*

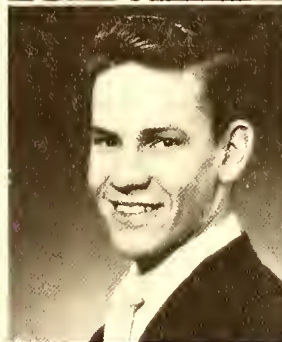
Football 9, 10, 11, 12; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; Student Council Representative 10, President of Dramatic Club 10; Key Club 11, 12; Official Delegate at District Key Club To National Convention in Columbus, Ohio; PEP-PAC Staff 12.



## JAMES THOMAS TRADO

*"Cute, popular, and tall  
He's liked by us all."*

Basketball 9, 10, 11, 12; Football 10, 11, 12; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; Monogram Play 11; President Monogram Club 12.



## SADIE VAN DYKE

*"Like a circle ending never  
Does her mirth go on forever."*

President Homeroom 9; President 10, Program Chairman 11; Dramatic Club 10; Bulldog Staff 12.

## ALTA MARIE VAN HOOK

*"Cute, witty, and gay  
She is really O. K."*

Greensboro High 9; Jr.-Sr. Music 10, 11; Glee Club 10, Assistant Pianist 11; Band 10, Junior Play 11; G.A.A. 11; Manager Girls Basketball Team 12; Superlative 12.



## DOROTHY MAE VAUGHAN

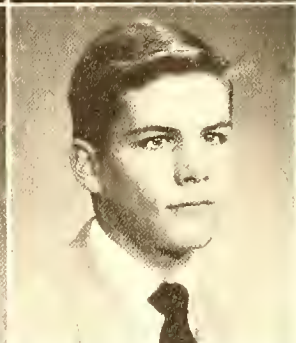
*"She's always dependable  
That's very commendable."*

Junior Dramatics Club; F.H.A. 9; Jr.-Sr. Committee 11.

## MARY ELIZABETH VAUGHAN

*"Short but sweet  
Can't be beat."*

Glee Club 9, 10; Band 9, 10, 11, 12; Varsity Basketball Team 10, 11, 12; Junior Varsity Basketball 9; Monogram Club 12; Dramatic Club Play 9; French Club 11; Superlative 12; G.A.A. 11; Dramatic Club 9, 10.



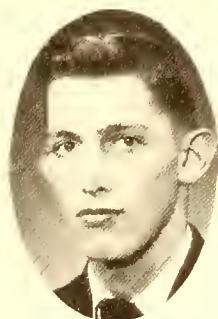
## SAMEUL M. WATKINS, JR.

*"I slept and dreamed that life was beauty  
I woke and found that life was duty."*

Manager of Football 9, 10; Basketball Manager 9; Junior Varsity Basketball 9; Varsity Basketball 10, 11, 12; Varsity Football 11, 12; Baseball Manager 11, 12; Monogram Club 10, 11, Vice-President 12; Key Club 11, 12.



# Seniors



HORACE E. WILLIAMS

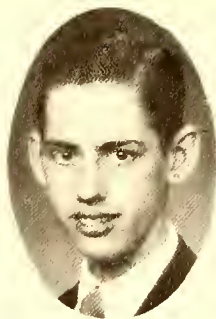
*"He's nice to walk with  
And fun to talk with."*

Baseball 9, 10, 11, 12; Basketball 10, 11, 12; Junior Varsity Football 10; Varsity Football 11, 12; Monogram Club 10, 11, 12; Student Council 11; Dramatic Club 9.

GUY FORREST WOODLIEF, JR.

*"Although he has much wit  
He's rather shy of using it."*

Commencement Marshal 9, 10, 11; Class Treasurer 12; Homeroom President 11, 12; Student Council 9, 10, 11, 12, Vice-President 12; Band Dance Committee 10; Glee Club 9; Beta Club 10, 11, Vice-President 12; Key Club 11, 12; Latin Club 10; Junior Play 11; PEP-PAC Staff 12; Superlative 12.



LOU JEAN WOODLIEF

*"Not too serious, not too gay  
Yet she has a loving way."*

F.H.A. 9, 10, 11; Social Committee F.H.A. 10; Junior Dramatic Club 9, 10; G.A.A. 11.

CHARLES DAVID WYCHE

*"Take it easy, have your fun  
Let the old world flicker on."*

Student Council 9; Radio Club 9; Dramatic Club 10; Key Club, Vice-President 12.

## LIVE FOR TOMORROW

We know not what the future holds for us,  
There may be fortune, fame—even sorrow.  
We can't look back and retrace days gone by;  
Live not for yesterday—live for tomorrow.

We have worked and played in our days of  
school,  
With no thought or action for the morrow.  
There's an end to all things, and so we must  
Live, not for yesterday—live for tomorrow.

Our hearts have been saddened beyond recall,  
But days from the past we cannot borrow;  
Go forward, for great men never turn back;  
Live not for yesterday—live for tomorrow.

IRIS BLUE,  
*Poet.*

## Senior Superlatives



*Best-Dressed*  
HETTY JANE BUTCHER  
WILLIAM NEWCOMB



*Best-Looking*  
BARBARA COTHRAN  
BOBBY INSCOE

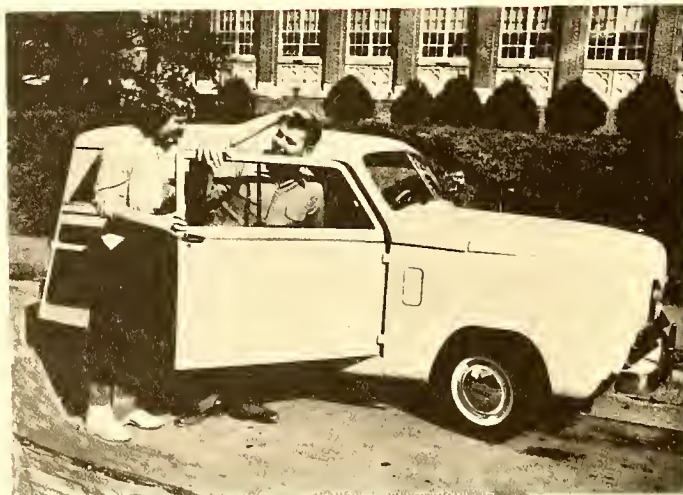




*Most Likely To Succeed*  
GRACE BOYD HICKS  
REGGIE MASON



*Friendliest*  
MARY VAUGHAN  
A. D. CLAYTON



*Wittiest*  
JEAN HICKS  
MARVIN COGHILL



*Best All-Round*  
EARLENE SMITH  
SIDNEY ROBERSON



*Most Popular*  
ANN HIGHT  
JIMMIE BRAFFORD



*Most Athletic*  
IDA ROSE NETHERY  
SAM WATKINS





*Most Studious*  
 AMY LEE STAINBACK  
 GUY WOODLIEF

*Most Talented*  
 MARIE VAN HOOK  
 SWANSON DODD



# History

We, the Senior Class of 1951, entered the hallowed halls of Henderson High School early in the Fall of 1947. The World War II had ended, but not for dear old H.H.S. The same year we entered, the school lost most of its self-respect, and half of its faculty—the faculty resigning to take positions at some sort of Hill in Raleigh. Oddly enough, we were given the cherished title of Freshmen and we lost no time in living up to it. Blamed though we were for everything from marking on the walls to stealing Willie's false teeth, we were really a refined, cultured, nice-mannered bunch of brats. (Our parents said so.) Seeing the desperate need of leadership among ourselves, we elected Jimmie Brafford as President of our class, Ann Hight as Vice-President, Hetty Jane Butcher as Secretary, and Marvin Coghill as Treasurer. The combined efforts of these officers plus the untiring devotion of Miss Bain, Miss Hughes, Miss Warner, and Miss Weir, our homeroom teachers, somehow managed to pull us through our first mirthful year of high school life.

Our Sophomore year started off with a bang. We had Miss Hughes, Mrs. Faulkner, and Miss Ransdell for homeroom teachers, and soon we decided to have for our leaders President Ollie Lockemy, Vice-President Tommy Lewis, Secretary Reggie Mason, and Treasurer Davis Hale. Life was somewhat easier now since we were only blamed for marking on the walls. Willie had found his teeth and had learned to guard them closely. The entire class fully enjoyed Biology until we came to the study of earthworms, a subject which for some reason or other was not attractive to the feminine portion of our class.

Once again after our summer vacation, old H.H.S. beckoned, and as usual we begrudgingly answered. Under the leadership of Reggie Mason, Fred Garrett, Earlene Smith and Pete Hicks, our President, Vice-President, Secretary, and Treasurer, respectively, we set out to earn enough money to put on a Jr.-Sr. Prom. After making more money than we could possibly use, we ended up having a dance in a pine-filled gymnasium. During the year we managed to put on a play entitled "Who Wouldn't Be Crazy?" which was a terrible . . . success.

We ordered class rings and after what seemed like months of waiting they finally arrived. Everyone was pleased with them except one boy who had ordered a girl's ring. He was distressed, but when we reminded him that some girl would soon be wearing it anyway, he was satisfied.

Our Senior year we missed the old crowd, but we were determined to carry on. Again Jimmie Brafford was elected as president of our class and oddly enough Ann Hight was elected as Vice-President. Barbara Cothran became our Secretary and to fill the office of Treasurer we chose Guy Woodlief. We were proud of our athletic and academic stars for we had watched them grow. All of us suffered a little from a strange disease known as Senioritis and we began to give more serious thought toward our futures. The affairs of the world were muddled but each of us felt that he or she could help to straighten them out a little. At last the time came to leave Henderson High School and our homeroom teachers Miss Hughes, Mrs. Hicks and Miss Kilpatrick. We all agree that in times to come we shall look back and remember these last four years as the happiest of our lives.

REGGIE MASON  
*Class Historian.*



# Prophecy

Having been elected Prophet of the Class of 1951, I consulted my crystal ball. As a result, I saw the following ten-year prophecy.

- Bill Adcock—New writer of the Dorothy Dix Column.
- Offie Lockemy—Auctioneer for the American Tobacco Company.
- Charles Recn—Janitor for Leggett's Department Store.
- Lawrence Renn—Owner of Joe's Pool Room and State-wide Champion.
- Randall Recn—Operating a detective agency.
- Sidney Roberson—Head of the baby sitting department in Macy's New York.
- Jack Robertson—Running a hobby shop in Henderson.
- Tommy Stegall—Singing soprano in the Metropolitan Opera House.
- Bobby Thomas—Working in a sideshow for Barnum Bailey Circus.
- Sam Watkins—Playing "Pro" football for the Indians.
- Horace Williams—Millionaire play boy, divorced twice, married for a third time.
- Guy Woodlief—Owner of New York Sun, sends Christmas cards to all of his H.H.S. classmates with \$100 bills in each.
- Charles Wyche—New owner of the Powers Model Agency.
- Love Joy Dickerson—Lightweight wrestler in Tennessee.
- Dot Adycock—Nursing for a prominent local doctor.
- Hetty Jane Butcher—Secretary for Tharrington & Twisdale Contraction Company.
- Earlene Bruin—Earlene has finally accepted Reggie's proposal to go steady.
- Myra Evans—Champion square dancer in the Cotton Belt.
- Patsy Glenn—Married to a millionaire Fleming. She has a lot of "Bucks" to spend.
- Grace Hicks—She and Wilbur are remarrying for the fifth time. Have revived the song "I'll Never Be Free."
- Ann Harris—She is now a majorette in the Michigan State Band.
- Ann Hight—She and Jimmie put the Dionne Quintuplets out of business by having 15 at a time.
- Martha Hines—Just went over Niagara Falls in her hope chest with Malcolm.
- Anne Irvin—Still believes in Miss Weir's motto, "Make Friends With Canada."
- Etta Mae Jenkins—Bookkeeping for her father.
- Dorothy Johnson—Happily married to a Yankee raising . . . accents.
- Marie Van Hook—Bookkeeper for Hilltop No. 1.
- Ray Adams—Still shows a preference for a red haired girl named Edna.
- Bobby Marcom—Taken over Arthur Godfrey's Talent Show.
- Jimmie Brafford—Tycoon on Wall Street.
- William Newcomb—Is runner-up to Jiggs Renn as Pool Champion. Married to Jackie.
- Jimmy Trado—Still training for the 100 meter dash in the Olympics.
- Iris Blue—The "Longfellow" of the 20th Century.
- Libby Bruin—Models for Vogue.
- Alice Ayscue—Alice is now writing the "Junior" skits for Red Skelton.
- Alice Jones—Running an exclusive cosmetics shop.
- Ferebee Satterwhite—Baby-sitting (her own children).
- Merdice Gupton—Is still very "Young" and sweet.
- Barbara Cothran—Torch Singer in the Stork Club.
- Earlene Smith—She and Sidney are raising a basketball team of their own.
- Amy Stainback—Honeymooning in an igloo in Alaska.
- Sadie Van Dyke—Has Taken Marie Wilson's place in the "Irma" movies.

Dot Vaughan—Happily married to Jimmie Young with several “Young” uns.  
 Mary Vaughan—She and Tom are still the friendliest couple in town.  
 Reggie Mason—Tycoon on Wall Street.  
 Talmage Poole—Honeymooning with Barbara Wortham in the Bermudas.  
 A. D. Clayton—Recruiting Officer for the Air Corps.  
 Marvin Coghill—Upstairs usher in the State Theater.  
 Herman Denton—Buick auto salesman.  
 Swanson Dodd—The Harry James of 1961.  
 Edison Duke—Drill Sergeant in the U. S. Army.  
 Fred Garret—Champion hog-caller in North Carolina.  
 Phil Griffin—Has started a new scooter firm with 6 little “scooties.”  
 Ray Hanford—Plays Dick Tracy in the movies.  
 Grover Grissom—Has taken over Einstein’s place and plans to leave his brain to Duke University.  
 Bobby Inscoc—Has a beautiful Beverly Hills Home and married to Corrinne Calvert.  
 Jimmy Knight—All the children are getting Jimmy Knight cowboy suits for Christmas instead of Hopalong Cassidy ones.  
 Tommy Lewis—Jockey in the Kentucky Derby.  
 Jack Harper—Retired after marrying a rich widow.  
 Pete Hicks—Arrested for writing threatening notes to Phil and Marvin. Known as “Poison Pen Pete,” alias “The Beater.”  
 B. C. Hedgpeth—Private Detective in New York.  
 Billy Ayscue—Dashing lover in French movies.  
 Jean Woodlief—Wife of a “pro” baseball player.  
 Ida Rose Nethery—Married to Ralph and coaching basketball in Oxford.  
 David Gupton—Known as “Crash” Gupton, star of the Roller Derby.  
 Frances Delbridge—A member of the famous Jones Family of America.  
 Flora Bobbitt—Writes a column in a California newspaper “How To Stay Happily Married.”  
 Mary Louise Harris—Interlocked with Blalock.  
 Jean Hicks—Has designed a new cigarette 18 inches long.

B. C. HEDGPETH,  
*Prophet.*



# Last Will and Testament

STATE OF NORTH CAROLINA

COUNTY OF VANCE

City of Henderson

Henderson High School

We, the Senior Class of Henderson High School of the year 1951, being of sound body and sound mind realizing that we are soon to graduate, feel that we are endowed with many valuables and wish to bequeath them accordingly. We do hereby declare the following to be our last will and testament.

## ARTICLE I. TO THE FACULTY

ITEM I. To Mr. Crowder. We leave the quietness of the summer vacation in hope that he will be prepared for the storm that will come in 1952.

ITEM II. To the faculty in general. We leave students with hopes that they will be more like us in our studiousness, model conduct, undivided attention and witty remarks.

## ARTICLE II. TO THE CLASSES

ITEM I. To the Junior Class. We leave our seats in the auditorium, our Senior Dignity and privileges, and lots of success in the future years.

ITEM II. To the Sophomore Class. We leave our undying school spirit and a continuance of all our brilliant ideas.

ITEM III. To the Freshman Class. We leave hardships, good times, and honors, all to be endured and enjoyed in the course of the three glorious years ahead.

## ARTICLE III. TO INDIVIDUALS

ITEM I. There are certain talents to be kept in families, so Grace Hicks leaves her original ideas and excuses to Jean, Sam Watkins leaves George his athletic ability, Jimmy Trado leaves Billy his eyes, and Bobby Inscoe leaves Billy his talent for flirting. We hope they are accepted with due respect.

ITEM II. To Franklin Irvin we bequest Jimmie Brafford's looks and personality.

ITEM III. Swanson Dodd and Marie Van Hook leave their musical talent to Norman White and D. O. May.

ITEM IV. "Mule" Hedgpeth bequests his love for all the girls to Bill Umphlett.

ITEM V. We leave Mary Louise's looks to Joyce Mitchiner.

ITEM VI. We leave Libby's clothes, looks, and friendliness to Sumner Parham. May she use them well.

ITEM VII. To Nookie Gray we leave Offie Lockemy's ability to sing and Iris Blue's poetic talent.

ITEM VIII. To Margaret Rose, we leave Patsy Glenn's artistic ability and her place on the cheer-leading squad.

ITEM IX. To George Stevenson, Chic Young, and Ed Loughlin, we leave Marvin, Pete, and Phil's ability to create a disturbance on class. The teachers have our deepest sympathy.

ITEM X. Love Joy Dickerson's ability to make a loud speaker sound quiet while cheering we leave to Audrey Duffell. We hope she will be the next chief.

ITEM XI. To Charlie Bussey we leave Tommy Lewis' cute smile and pretty eyes.

ITEM XII. We leave Ida Rose Nethery's title of "Miss Bulldog" to any girl who is lucky enough to get it.

ITEM XIII. Ann Hight's personality is left to Becky Ellington.

ITEM XIV. The boys of the incoming senior class are to divide equally Charles Wyche's friendliness. To the girls, we bequest Mary Vaughan's cheerful smile.

ITEM XV. Jean Hicks' wit is to be given to Helen Mason.

ITEM XVI. To "Red" Blue we leave Billy Ayscue's bashfulness.

ITEM XVII. Ann Irvin's faithfulness is left to Edna Shearin and Butch's love for the Air Force is left to Janie Hunt.

ITEM XIX. Earlene Smith's basketball ability is left to Jackie Van Hook.

ITEM XX. We pass William Newcomb's clothes on to Benny Mills.

ITEM XXI. Amy Lee Stainback and Guy Woodlief leave their studious attitude to those of the incoming class who will be half-senior and half-junior. We're sure they can use it.

ITEM XXII. We leave Barbara Cothran's strutting ability to Barbara Stone. We surely do like it.

ITEM XXIII. We leave to Sammy Jackson our hopes that he will become one of our future football stars.

ITEM XXIV. And I, Earlene Bruin, leave. . . .

We appoint "Doc" Crowder, our principal, to be sole executor of this, "Our Last Will and Testament."

In witness thereof, we, the Senior Class of Henderson High School, have set our last seal this first day of June, 1951.

EARLENE BRUIN, *Testator*.

MISS FRANCES WALSER, *Witness*

MRS. J. C. HICKS, *Witness*





TYSON JENNETTE  
*President*

BOBBY YOUNG  
*Secretary*

VIRGINIA MORRIS  
*Vice-President*

AMARYLLIS BEASLEY  
*Treasurer*

## Juniors

Evelyn May Adams  
Gus Bachman  
Alice Barrier  
Amaryllis S. Beasley



James Edward Branch  
Hazel Buchanan  
Boyd Burchette  
Jean Carroll



James Clark  
Barbara Coghill  
Anne Page Currin  
Beulah Davis



Audrey Duffell  
 Donald Allen Duke  
 Elizabeth Artelia Duke  
 Claude Franklin Elliott  
 Jack Faulkner



Dallas Fuller  
 Davis Renn Hale  
 Evelyn Faye Hall  
 Jo Ann Harris  
 Mary Kathleen Hayes



Norman Davis Holloway  
 Macon Harris  
 Eugene Hudson  
 Janie Hunt  
 Albert Tyson Jennette



Jerry Eugene Johnson  
 Wilfort Johnson  
 Freddie Kendrick  
 Shirley Jane Knight  
 Carlton Lavinder



Jane Gayle Mabry  
 Anne Marion Marcom  
 Robert Matthews  
 Barbara Jean May  
 Donald Otha May



Iola Constance McIver  
 Nancy Brown McLemore  
 Virginia Ann Morris  
 Marvin William Moser  
 Arthur Sinclair Newman







Kenneth Orr  
Zola Jeanette Overby  
Katie Marie Pace  
Walter W. Parker  
Magdalene Parrish

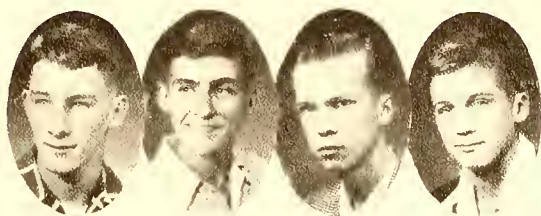
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Jimmy Sauls  
Edna Gloria Shearin

Jasper Harley Snow  
Marcelle Sparks  
Jack Stanley  
George E. Stevenson  
Bill Umphlett

Ferebee Watkins  
George Hamell Watkins  
George Rose Watkins  
Joan Weathers  
Frances Lee Wheless

Norman Louis White  
Margaret Wilkerson  
Sylvia Ann Williams  
Mildred Williamson  
Barbara Jean Wortham  
Robert Gill Young



FRED BEASLEY  
*President*

MILTON A. PERRY  
*Secretary*

CURTLAND MORGAN  
*Vice-President*

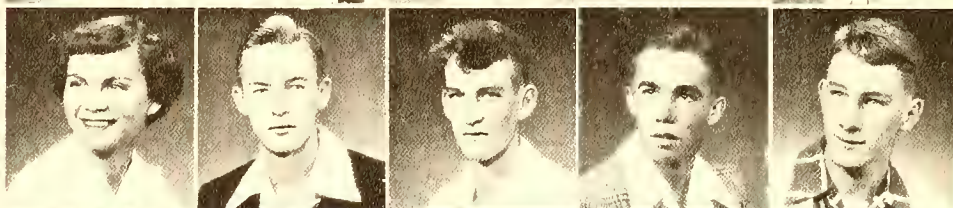
CHARLIE BUSSEY  
*Treasurer*

## Sophomores

Barbara Jean Abbott  
Jack Alston Abbott  
Jeanette Abbott  
Nell Abbott  
Jean Annette Adams



Laura Jean Adams  
Charles Baker  
Bobby Barnette  
William B. Bartholomew  
Frederick J. Beasley



Sue Ann Bell  
Aubrey Blanks  
Ann E. Burroughs  
Charlie Wates Bussey  
Dorothy Jean Carter







Nellie Ruth Cobb  
Bessie Codas  
Martha Coggins  
George P. Coghill  
Marilyn Evans Collins

Mary Ann Crews  
Maria Daniels  
Becky Ann Ellington  
Elaine O'Neil Evans  
Gay Evans

Douglas Faulkner  
Perry Thomas Faulkner  
Thurston Faulkner  
Ann Franklin  
Phyllis Rose Gupton

Roger Gupton  
Diane Guy  
Don Hill Gwynn  
Mildred Harp  
Peggy May Harper

Thelma Jane Harris  
Jean Hicks  
Ronald Hight  
Tyler McLean Hight  
Eleanor Gray Howell

Barbara Jean Hoyle  
Franklin Irvin  
Earl Jones  
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Shirley Knott



J. W. Knight  
 Sherwood Knight  
 Vivian Rochelle Lamb  
 Lillie Tapp Latta  
 Elizabeth E. Lavinder



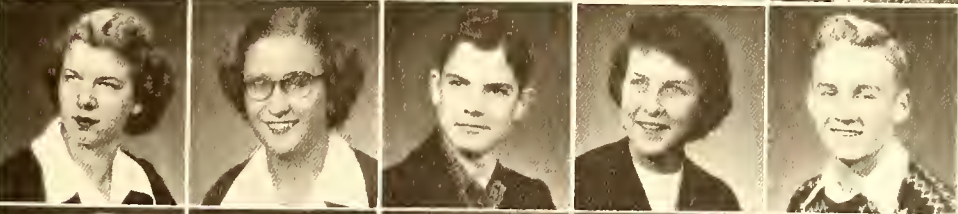
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 Elaine Matálas  
 William Matthews  
 Bennie Wayne Mills



Thomas Mims  
 Jo Ann Mitchell  
 Joyce Ann Mitchiner  
 Cortland Morgan  
 Nellie Gray Neathery



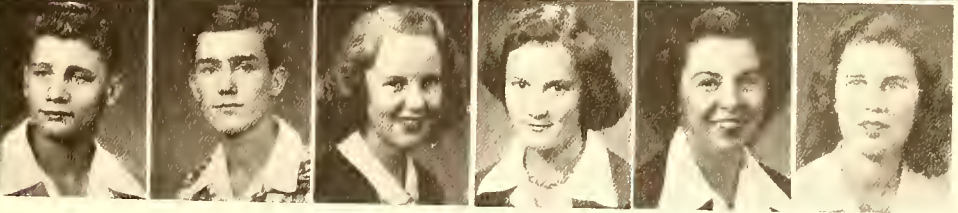
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 Margie Lee Newman  
 Robert Noel  
 Peggy Evelyn Nowell  
 Victor Owens



Donald Lee Parks  
 Claybourne Pegram  
 Frances Irene Pegram  
 Milton A. Perry  
 Laura Patricia Pirie



Braxton Poythress  
 Clarence P. Puckett  
 Sarah Catherine Pulley  
 Barbara Ann Raines  
 Vera Newcomb Rainey  
 Fabel Delores Ramsey







George Reavis  
Barbara J. Roberson  
Brice Eugene Robertson  
Marie Robertson  
Maxwell Rogers

Paul Rose  
Anne Ross  
Milton Ross  
Sarah Ann Royster  
Albert Sanford

James Satterwhite  
Laura Ann Seaman  
Lowell Wayne Smith  
Vernon Tucker Smith  
Louis B. Snead

Billy Stainback  
Clara Josephine Tanner  
Leo Thacker  
Frances M. Tharrington  
William Tillotson

Robert Tindal  
Mary Turner  
Jacqueline H. Van Hook  
Florence Macon Wheeler  
John Jennings White

Peggy Ruth Wiggins  
Ruth Ella Wilson  
Mann Leak Wood  
Billy Glenn Woodard  
Miriam Rose Woodlief  
Ray Woodward

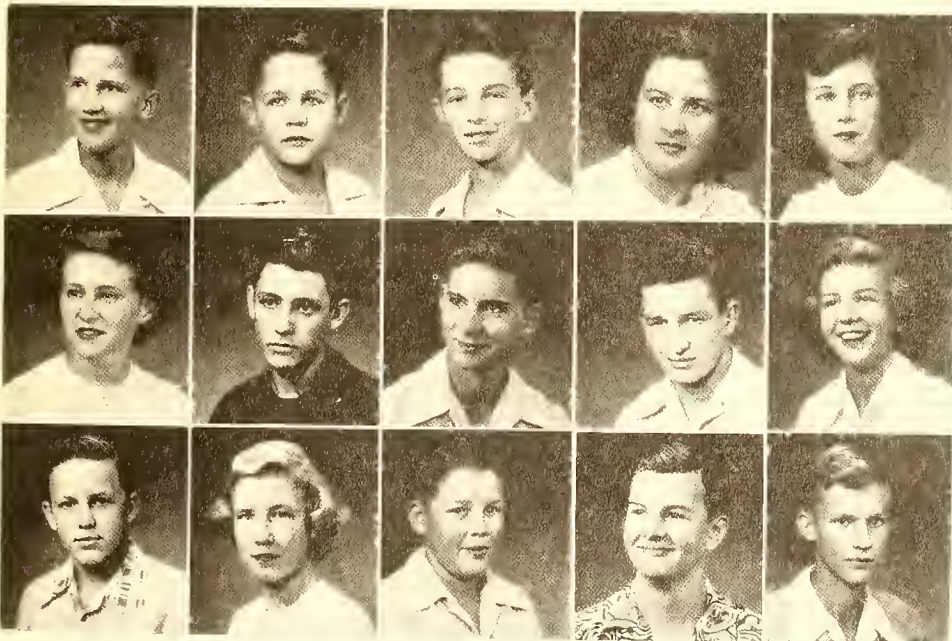


EDWARD BLUE,  
*President*

RUTH WATKINS  
*Secretary*

TOMMY TAYLOR  
*Vice-President*

## Freshmen



James F. Adams  
Carl Adeock  
Jerry Seela Adkinson  
Glee Esther Barrier  
Betty Jean Baskett

Elizabeth C. Bell  
James A. Bisset  
John T. Blanks  
Edward D. Blue  
Mary Ann Brafford

Sol W. Brame, Jr.  
Norma Faye Chappell  
Harry L. Chandler  
Calvin Cates  
Wallace G. Cawthorne



William G. Cawthorne  
 Bobby L. Champion  
 Thomas G. Clayton  
 Sylvia A. Crawley  
 Elvin Davidson



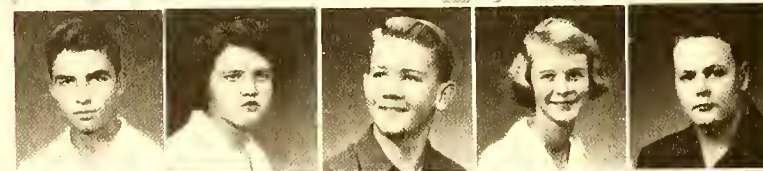
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 Patricia Ann Eason  
 James A. Edwards  
 Rachel Edwards



Asa B. Evans  
 Betty Dare Farris  
 Frances Jean Faulkner  
 V. G. Fowler  
 Hannah Ruth Garrett



Richard S. Gary  
 Betty Lee Gilchrist  
 Franklin V. Gray  
 Lillian C. Griffin  
 Jackie Griffith



Mary Alice Gupton  
 David Lee Gupton  
 James V. Gupton  
 Janice L. Haithcock  
 Thomas O. Hardy



Peggy Marie Harper  
 L. A. Harris  
 Rosa Lee Hawkins  
 William H. Hester  
 George V. Holden

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J. E. Holmes  
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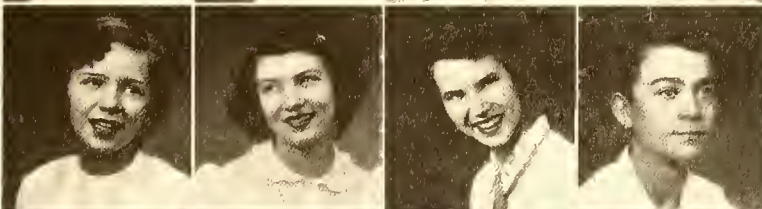
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Mary McKinney  
Jimmy Miller



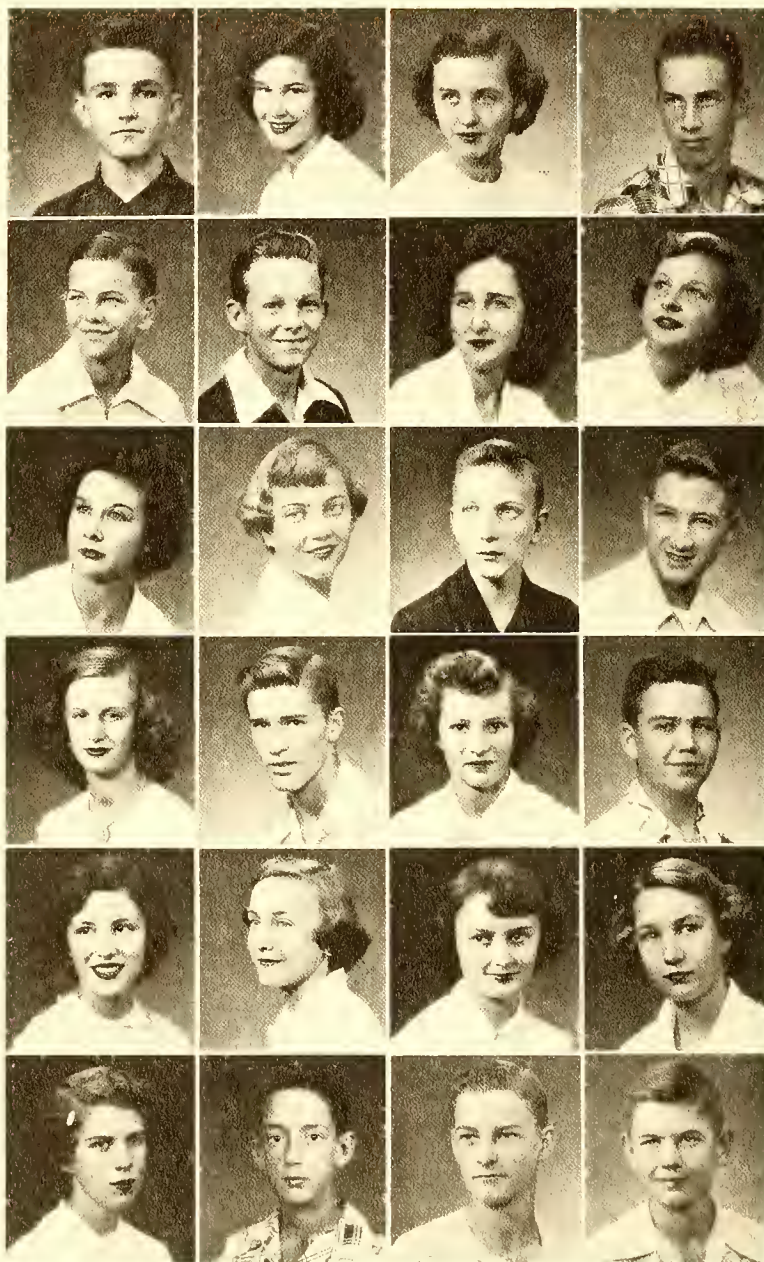
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Sumner Parham  
Betty Jean Powell



J. W. Pullium  
Bobby Richardson  
Cecil L. Roberson  
Joan Robertson







Roy Rodwell  
Margaret Rose  
Rachel Royster  
Leon Short

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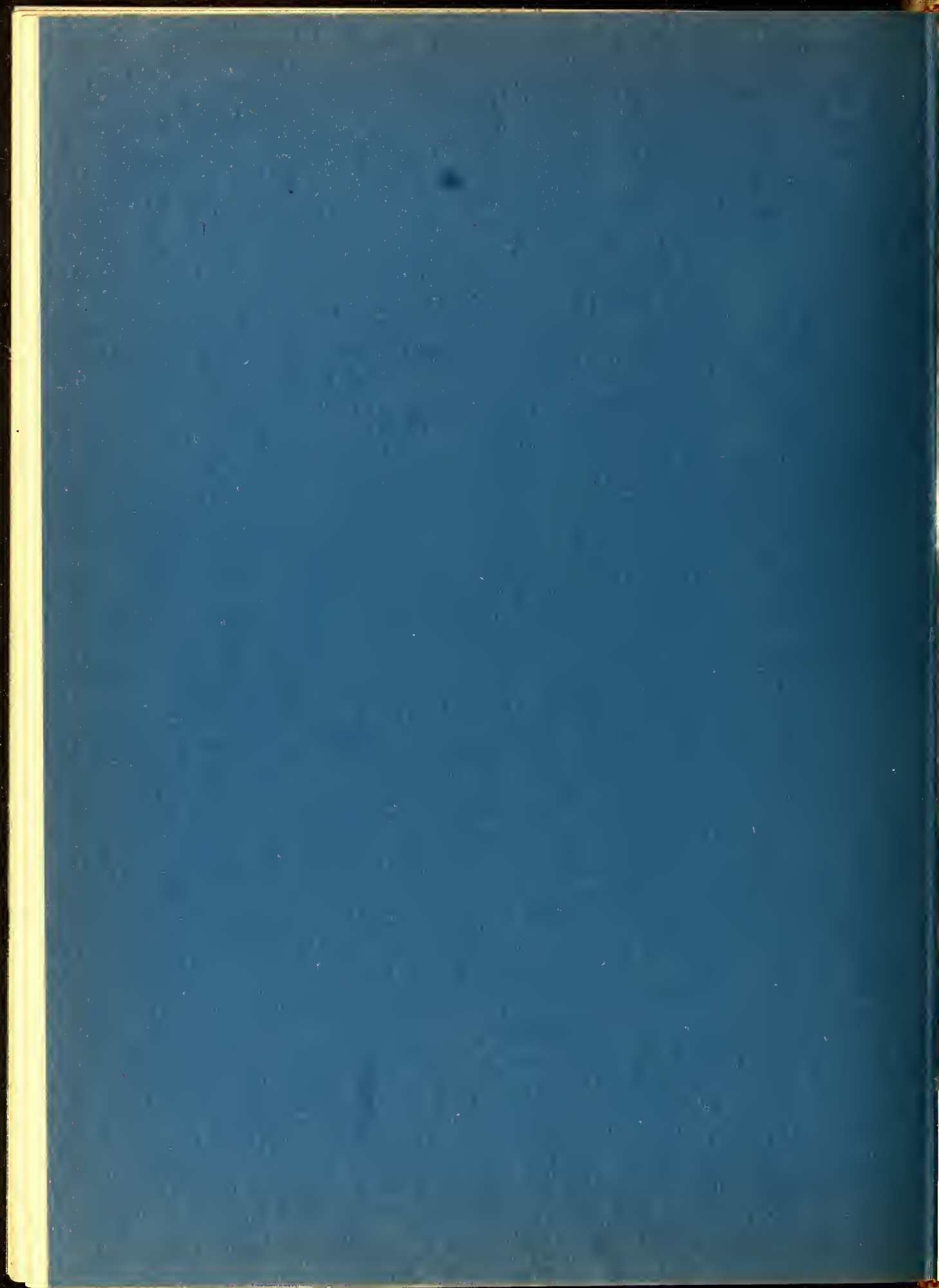
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Jean Wade  
Ruth Watkins  
Lucy D. Wiggins  
Elizabeth Williams

Mary B. Wolfe  
Robert Woodlief  
R. O. Woodlief  
John Zollicoffer









## Student Council

The Student Council, which is made up of president, vice-president, secretary, and treasurer of the high school and two representatives from each homeroom, is the central student organization of Henderson High School.

It seeks to improve school conditions. Its main objective is to maintain student participation in school activities and to promote a feeling of good will among students.

The Student Council operates a school store. This year the main project undertaken by the council was Career Day.

In order to promote cleanliness in the school, the council made an award monthly for the cleanest room during this time.

This year the Council sent three delegates to the State Convention held in Charlotte.

The Student Council is not a money making body; rather, it has as its goal the uniting of the students and the faculty of the school so that we may all work together toward a better H.H.S.



## Library Council



### OFFICERS

*President* . . . . . VIRGINIA MORRIS  
*Vice-President* . . . . . KATHLEEN HAYES  
*Secretary-Treasurer* . . . . . SUE ANN BELL  
*Adviser* . . . . . MISS CATHERINE WEIR

## Beta Club



### OFFICERS

*President* . . . . . BARBARA COTHMAN  
*Vice-President* . . . . . GUY WOODLIEF  
*Secretary-Treasurer* . . . . . EVELYNE ADAMS  
*Adviser* . . . . . MISS CLYDE HUNTER

## The Bulldog



The *Bulldog*, sponsored by the Journalism Class, is published monthly. The paper includes news of the school, personality features, sports, and other items of interest. Another phase of issuing this paper has been the business angle, and every member of the class has participated in obtaining advertisements which finance the paper. The goal of the Journalism Class has been to print a paper which will be interesting and beneficial to all.



## The French Club



### OFFICERS

<i>President</i> . . . . .	EVELYN ADAMS
<i>Vice-President</i> . . . . .	JO ANN HARRIS
<i>Secretary</i> . . . . .	ANNE WILLIAMS
<i>Treasurer</i> . . . . .	GEORGE R. WATKINS
<i>Adviser</i> . . . . .	MISS ELIZABETH HUGHES

## The Future Homemakers of America



### OFFICERS

<i>President</i> . . . . .	BARBARA JEAN WORTHAM
<i>Vice-President</i> . . . . .	FLORENCE WHEELER
<i>Secretary</i> . . . . .	NELLIE COBB
<i>Treasurer</i> . . . . .	LOUISE WHITEMORE
<i>Adviser</i> . . . . .	MRS. E. G. COBB

# The Monogram Club



## OFFICERS

<i>President</i> .....	JIMMY TRADO
<i>Vice-President</i> .....	SAM WATKINS
<i>Secretary</i> .....	ANN HIGHT
<i>Treasurer</i> .....	JEAN HICKS
<i>Sgt.-At-Arms</i> .....	B. C. HEDGPETH
<i>Faculty Sponsor</i> .....	DOROTHY SHEARIN

The Monogram Club is composed of those students who have earned letters in high school by participating in football, basketball, baseball or who have served as managers for one of these sports. The purpose of this club is to encourage good sportsmanship and interest in all types of athletics. The club awards individual trophies each year to the player on the girls' and boys' basketball teams who are voted most valuable by their teammates. Last year, these trophies were presented to Frances Dixon and Edward Loughlin.





## Key Club

Swanson Dodd  
Guy Woodlief  
Gus Bachman  
Tyson Jennette  
Sam Watkins  
Bobby Thomas  
Jimmy Knight  
Offie Lockemy

Jimmie Braford  
Charles Wyche  
Franklin Elliot  
Reggie Mason  
George Watkins  
D. O. May  
Walter Parker  
Fred Beasley

Charlie Bussey  
Tucker Smith  
John White  
Cortland Morgan  
C. B. Mason  
Norman White  
Robert Young  
John Arrowood—Sponsor



## The Latin Club

### OFFICERS

<i>President</i> . . . . .	GEORGE COGHILL
<i>Vice-President</i> . . . . .	MARGARET ROSE
<i>Secretary</i> . . . . .	FRANCES THARRINGTON
<i>Sponsor</i> . . . . .	MISS ELIZABETH HUGHES

The only requirement for membership in this club is to be in one of the Latin classes. Its purpose is to promote better understanding of the language and the people who use it. Annually, the Latin Club decorates a window for National Education Week. It also arranges a Latin banquet each spring for its members. The second year students have put out a Latin newspaper this year.



## Office Staff



MISS MATILDA THOMPSON  
*Commercial Department*

Mule Hedgpeth

Jimmie Brafford

Riggie Mason

Ann Hight

Charles Renn

## Hall Monitors



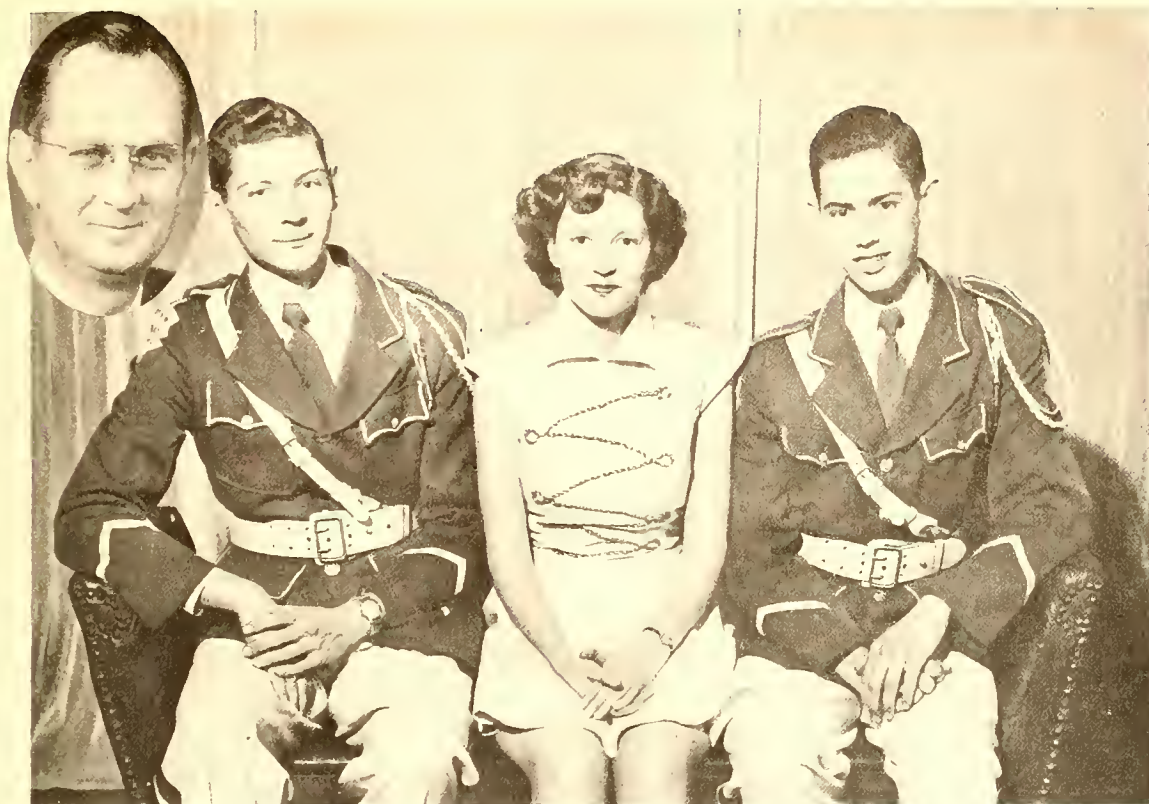
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*Captain*

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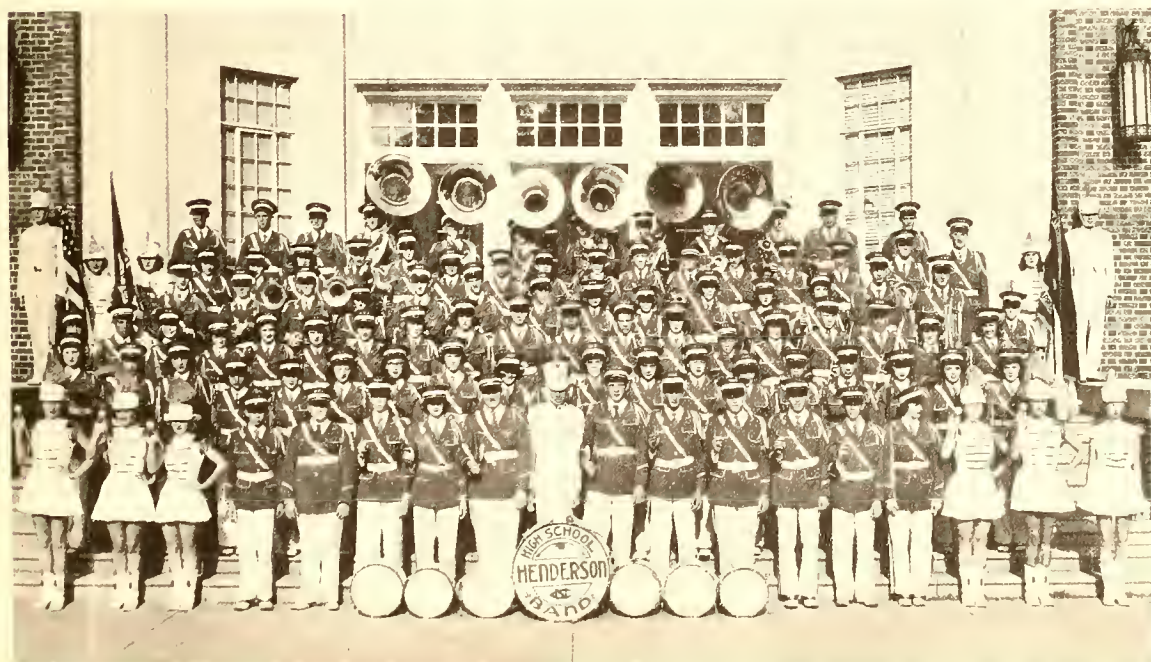




## Band Officers

Mr. W. T. Hearne  
Swanson Dodd

Guy Woodlief  
Ann Hight







## Drum Majors    Majorettes    Flag Bearers

*Top row, left to right:*

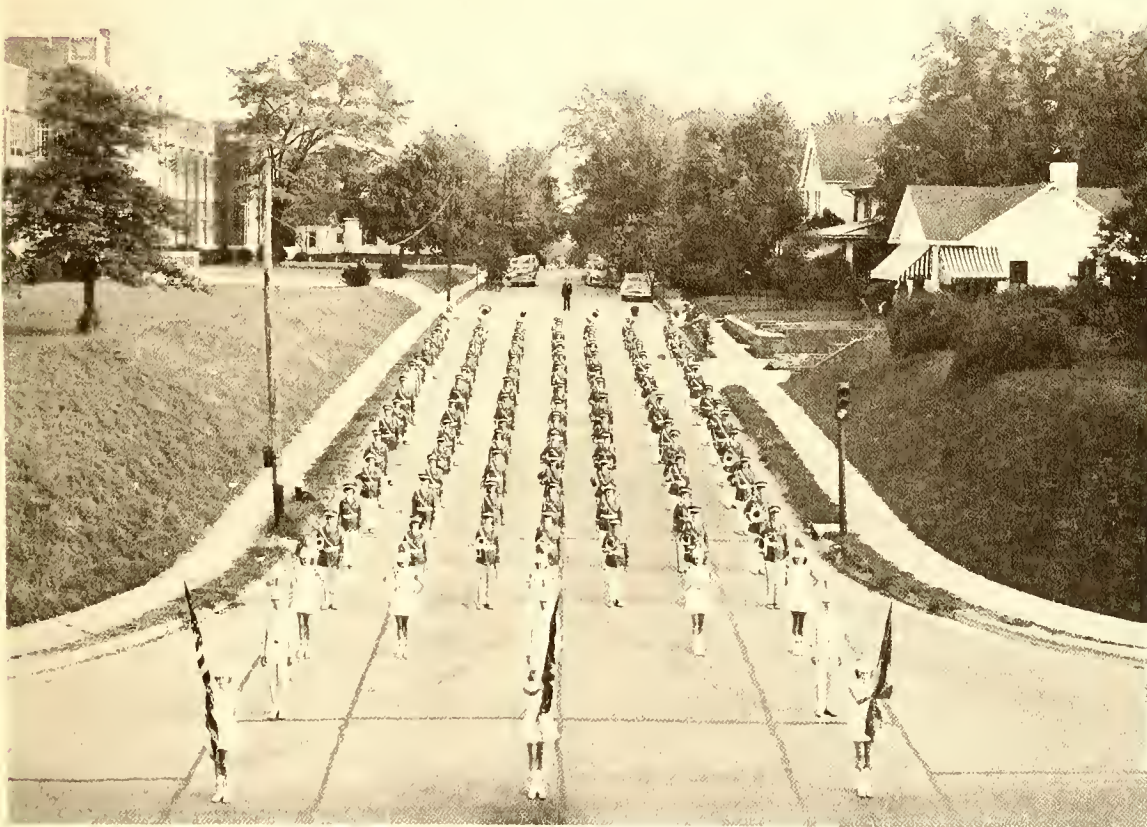
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D. O. May  
Barbara Stone

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Ida Rose Nethery  
Jane Harris  
Hetty Jane Butcher

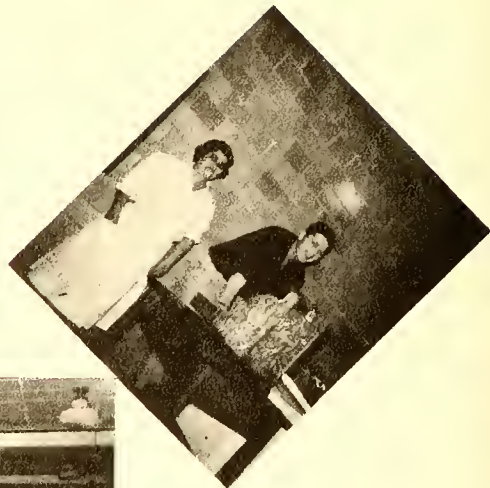
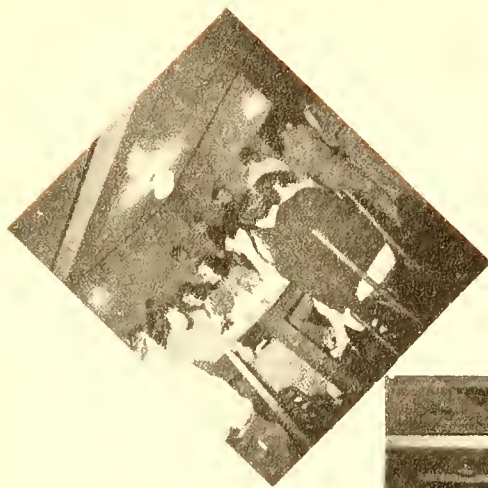
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Band on Parade





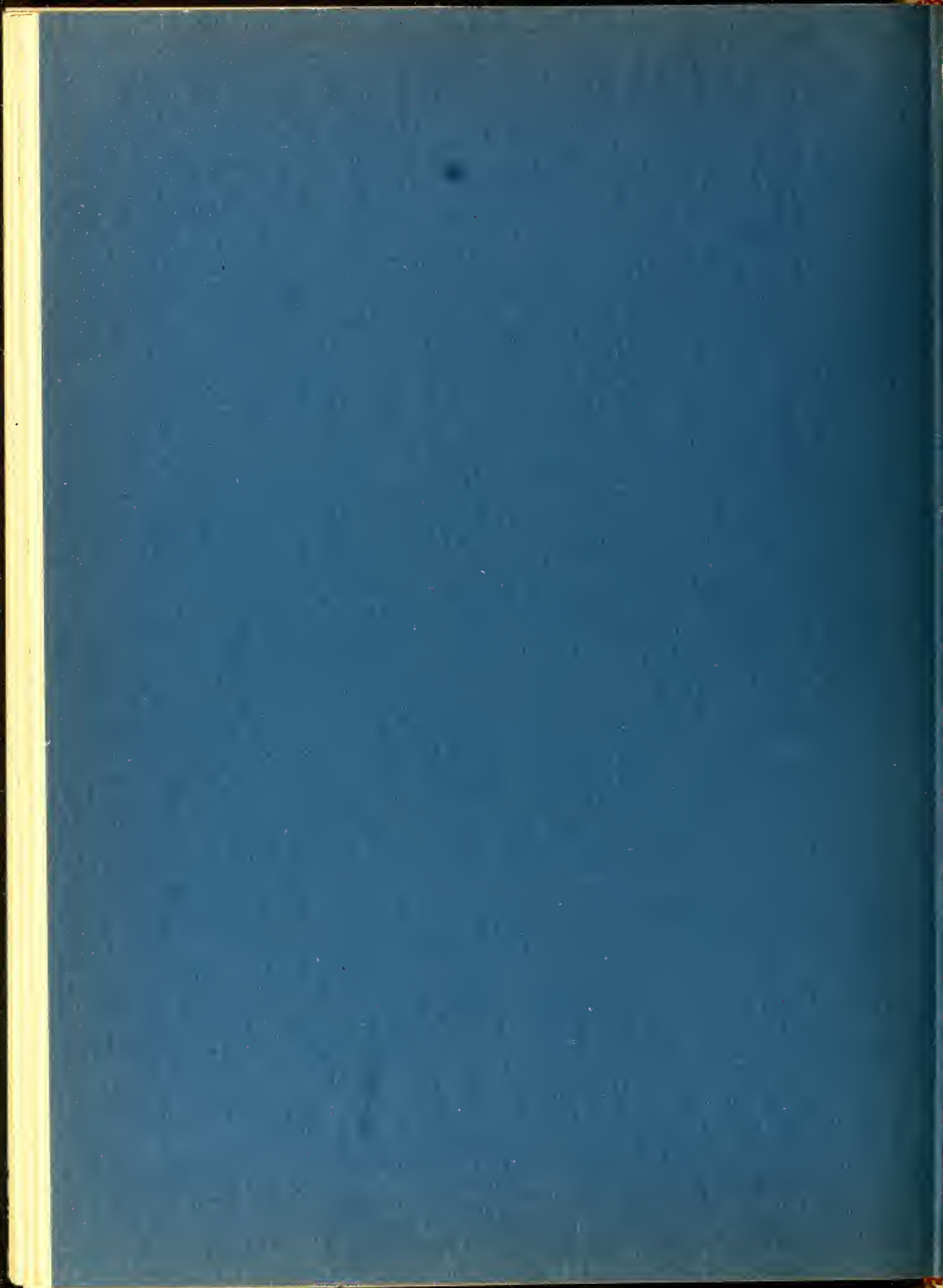
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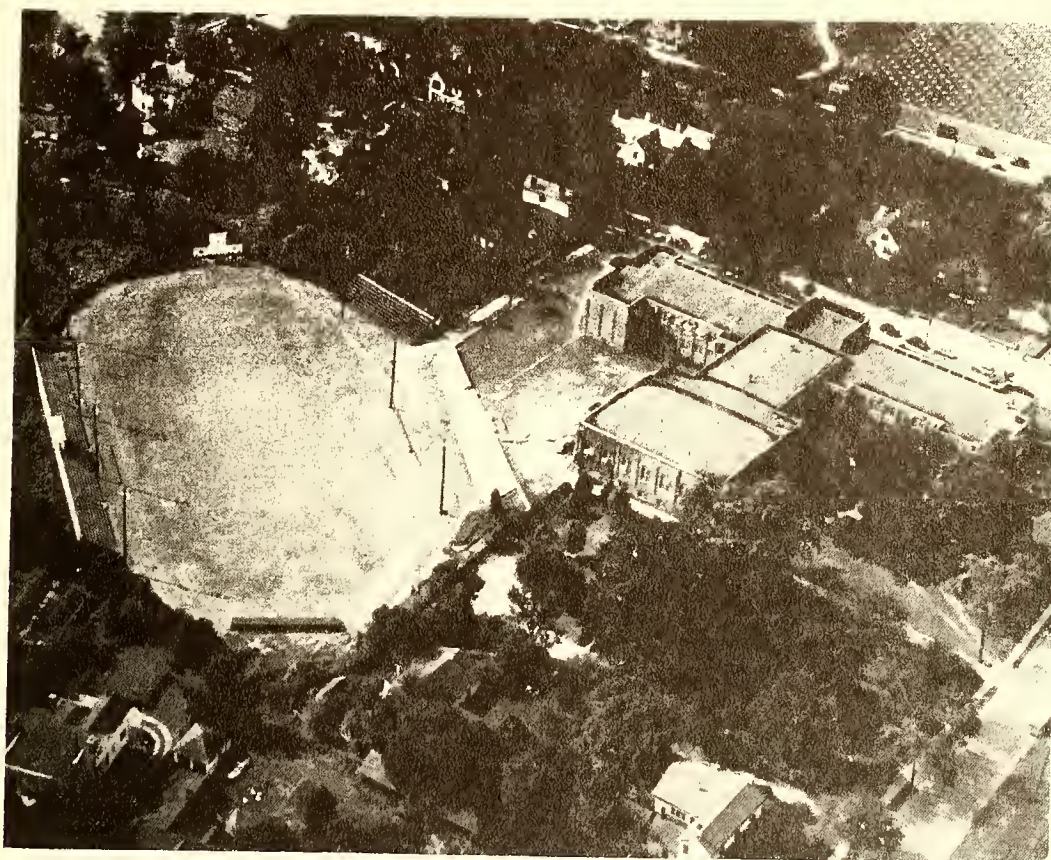
The Henderson High School Cafeteria is quite a credit to the school. Mrs. G. W. McBroom has charge of it. It is an A-grade cafeteria in very attractive surroundings. Approximately one hundred and seventy-five students have lunch there every day.

Excellent lunches are provided at the cost of twenty-five cents. This is partially possible through the help of the Federal Aid to Public School Cafeterias. The two cooks are Emma Taylor and Co-reace Satterwhite. Marvin Coghill is the cashier. The above are scenes of the cafeteria and its personnel.









## Veteran's Field

The above picture is an aerial view of Veterans Field. The stadium seats about 4,500 people and during many games there were people standing all around the field.

Since Coach Caruso has been in Henderson, some \$5,000 has been spent on the field. Several schools have copied the plans of our stadium in building their own.





#### COACHES JOE CARUSO AND BEN HAYES

Coach Caruso coached the first State Class A Championship football team of Henderson High School in 1947. Coach Caruso who was Little All-American at Elon College came to Henderson after five years at Rocky Mount High School and molded a team that was second to none. He has proved from his first year here that he is a great coach. His teams at Henderson have won 37 games, lost 9 and tied 2.

Coach Ben Hayes, Coach Caruso's capable assistant, has to be given some credit for our successful season this year.

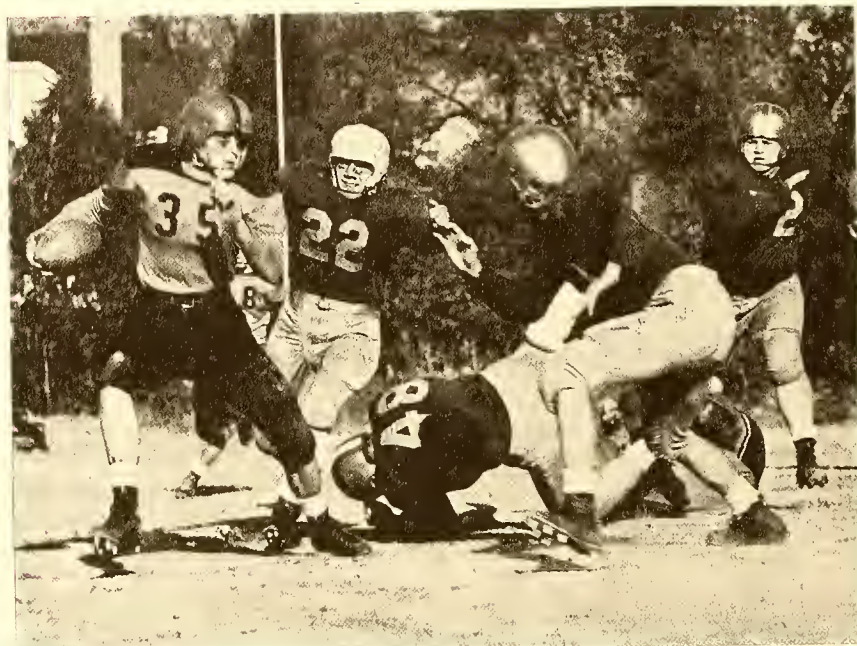
Coach Hayes was graduated from Rocky Mount High School and was a three letter man there under our own head coach Joe Caruso. Mr. Hayes entered service in '43 and remained in the army three years. In the spring of '46 he entered Carolina but transferred to E.C.T.C., from which he was graduated as a Physical Education Director. At E.C.T.C. he was also a three letter man. After graduation, he played professional baseball until he took charge of the physical education program at Henderson. In addition to teaching, Mr. Hayes is the assistant head coach in the three major sports of Henderson High School.

## 1950-51 Football Squad



*First row, left to right: Jimmy Trado, End; B. C. "Mule" Hedgpeth, Tackle; R. M. Tindal, Guard; Ray Hanford, Center; Offie Lockemy, Guard; Bobby "Tubby" Thomas, Tackle; Jack Stanley, End. Second row: Fred Beasley, Back; Sam Watkins, Back; Ed "Red" Blue, Back; Bobby "Chick" Young, Back; Ed Loughlin, Back; Tyson "Sketer" Jennette, Tackle. Third row: Johnnie White, Tackle; Don Gywnn, End; Cortland Morgan, Back; Charlie Bussey, Back; Tucker Smith, Center; Franklin Elliott, Guard; Gus Bachman, Guard; Horace Williams, End. Fourth row: Victor Owens, End; Jimmie Brafford, Back; Davis Hale, Center; Billy Ayscue, Tackle; Jimmy Knight, Guard; Willard "Whitey" Renn, End; Billy White, Tackle.*





#### GOLDSBORO

The Bulldogs opened their season with a strong Goldsboro eleven which proved to be too much for them. Goldsboro won the game 27-0. Without making any excuses for the defeat, the Bulldogs just forgot it. It was a great handicap having so many men on the team who were starting in their first varsity game. The boys that were missed the most were the four truly great backs who were graduated last year. Captain B. C. Hedgpeth played one of his many fine games that night.

Outweighed in every department, the Bulldogs fought hard but the Earth quakes' experience proved to be too great. The Goldsboro attack was sparked by Center Louis Hallow and Back William Bell.

#### DURHAM COUNTY

Having a defeat and a little experience under their belts, the Bulldogs got down to work on their first conference game of the season. All week the Bulldogs worked hard and it proved to be what we needed. We met the Durham County Counts on Veteran's Field on Friday night, September 15th. The stands were full of Henderson fans, all of whom were pulling for a Bulldog victory since it was their first home game of the season.

The Bulldogs were sparked by Bobby Renn who gained 116 yards and scored one of the three touchdowns. Tubby Thomas added 2 extra points out of three tries.

## ROXBORO

This game was one of the most important of the season. The Roxboro Rockets, all cocked and primed for Henderson, were the team that had beaten us so badly the year before, as you all remember.

It had been raining all day and it didn't stop until about 6:30 that evening when the Bulldogs took the field. It looked as if they were ankle deep in mud. The field appeared to be an ocean of mud and one could barely tell which team was which they were all so covered with mud.

Leading six to nothing through the first three quarters the Bulldogs saw their lead broken very abruptly by a pass play which hit pay dirt in the fourth quarter. Little Sam Watkins with his powerful 135 pounds of dynamite hit the Rocket line hard all through the game. Sam scored the Bulldogs' only touchdown of the night. Tubby Thomas missed the conversion. Tabott scored for Roxboro and that giant of a ball player, R. M. Tindal, crashed through to block the kick for the extra point and saved the Bulldogs from defeat. The Bulldogs then started another long drive, but it was halted on the Roxboro fifteen yard line. The game ended in a 6-6 tie when the whistle blew two minutes later.





### HENDERSON Vs. METHODIST ORPHANAGE

The line should be given credit for taking this game because they won it. The only score for the Bulldogs came when "Mule" Hedgpeth blocked a punt and Offie Lockemy ran it over. In the fourth period when the score was 7-7, R. M. Tindal blasted through to block another punt and Hedgpeth picked it up and scooted a cool 40 yards for a touchdown. That score won the game for the Henderson High Bulldogs. The boys really did a great job. Our outstanding help in this game was Offie Lockemy, the little man who wears the number 22 jersey. Offie put in 48 minutes at offensive guard and defensive end. In both positions his work was excellent. He has proved to us that he is as hard as nails. Two subs who did a good job were Billy Ayseue and Tyson Jeanette: they filled in for "Tubby" Thomas who was injured and did not see action.

### HENDERSON VS. NORFOLK CATHOLIC

The fourth game of the season was with an out of the state foe, the Norfolk Catholic High School. The Bulldogs had little trouble in turning them back because the boys clad in green and gold got the well-known wheel rolling and couldn't be stopped at any price. The sensational runs by Blue, Brafford, and the other backs kept the fans on their feet throughout the game. The high-stepping boys in the green and gold had a 25-7 margin at the half, and the backs from Virginia couldn't overcome the lead. The game ended with a score of 33-7. There was a reason for this high score; the blocking in the center of the line was all one could ask for. The man who was carrying out his assignments to the letter was Ray Hanford.



## OXFORD HIGH

This game was the one everyone had been waiting for.

On Friday the day of the game every one in school was optimistic and filled to the brim with school spirit. Pep rallies were held everywhere (The students should be commended for their fine school spirit.)

That night the line play was rugged on the part of Henderson with no one standing out. The Bulldogs, tough and stubborn in the line yielded only 10 measly yards to the Wild Cats of OXFORD.

HENDERSON scored first in the second quarter when Brafford went over from the 5 yard line. The Bulldogs came back in the second half leading 7 to 6 and they soon increased their lead to 14 to 6 when the BULLDOGS scored on a quarterback sneak by Ed Loughlin. OXFORD then scored on a freak pass play to make the score 14 to 13 in favor of HENDERSON.

Later in the closing minutes Jimmy Brafford scored his second touchdown of the night as the result of the interception of a pass. This score put the game on ice.

Chick Young was the big gun in the backfield for HENDERSON as he piled up well over a hundred yards on the ground plus his passing and punting.

Buddy Morgan should be given a great deal of credit for his extra points during this game and all the other games. The final score that night was HENDERSON HIGH 21 OXFORD HIGH 13.



## KINSTON

The Kinston Red Devils gave the Bulldogs their second defeat of the season. They got two quick touchdowns on interceptions and those proved to be too much for the home team.

The game was very rough with many injuries. The Bulldogs were better on defense and held the Red Devils on the four yard line for 4 downs. The Bulldogs had now won five games and lost only two.

## HILLSBORO

Since this was the last game of the season for the Bulldogs, they were in very good spirits. If the boys in the green and gold won this game they would have to play another team for the right to play for the Eastern Championship.

The Bulldogs got off to a slow start and Hillsboro scored first. The Bulldogs then scored and there was no more trouble as they mopped up to the tune of 33 to 6.

## ROCKINGHAM

The season had been smooth thus far and the game of the year was coming up for the Eastern title and everyone was waiting eagerly for the outcome. There was a standing bet all around town that Coach Joe and his boys couldn't turn the Rockets back.

It was on a very beautiful Thanksgiving Day that these highly rated teams took the field—the Bulldogs being the underdog by fourteen points. The sky was as blue as the sea, the wind was blowing just a little. It was neither hot nor cold, but just a comfortable sixty degrees. The stadium was full, the banners were waving, and the fans were cheering as the referee blew his whistle for the all important game to get started.

The Rockets may have been the favorites but it didn't take long for the Bulldogs to show them differently. Tubby Thomas recovered a fumble which resulted in a touchdown for the boys of Henderson High. Another touchdown was scored in little time and at the half the Bulldogs led 13 to 0.

Late in the third quarter the Rockets managed to push across a touchdown. Once again the Bulldogs got off on a long drive only to be stopped on the visitors 4 yard line. The game ended with Henderson on the topside of a 13 to 6 score. The next big game would be the Class AA play off on December 1st.

## REIDSVILLE

After taking the Eastern Championship the Bulldogs were all set for the State Championship game in Reidsville on December 1.

On Monday before the game the boys were really working hard for this was the game everyone had waited for and talked about for so long.

That night (Monday night before the Reidsville game) came the news about our coach's father and Coach Joe had to go home and the team had to play without their coach, something they never had done before.

When Thursday came the boys loaded their equipment and started off. They arrived in Reidsville about dinner time, worked out that afternoon, and then rested up until Friday night.

The game started out with a bang with Henderson having possession of the ball until Reidsville obtained it through an interception. As a result of five interceptions and about 6 fumbles the Golden Lions of Reidsville made three touchdowns in the first half, and one in the second. The final score 26 to 0.

The score does not give the true story however for the Bulldogs had little trouble in opening holes in the Reidsville line to out gain them on the ground.

The Bulldogs got inside the 20 yard line several times but couldn't find a scoring punch.

Although the Bulldogs lost by a large score they really tried to win for their coach; but it was one of those days when everything the Bulldogs did was wrong and everything that Reidsville did was right.

Tubby Thomas and Horace Williams did a great job on offense and stood out on defense.

Although the Bulldogs lost, they played a great game and much of the credit is due to the assistant Coach Ben Hayes who coached and encouraged the boys in the absence of Coach Caruso.

So the curtain falls on another great season for the fighting Bulldogs of H.H.S. and their coach Joe Caruso.





# Junior Varsity Football

The Junior Varsity football team was a thing unheard of in H.H.S. until 1948. Coach Joe Caruso, having a busy year in 1947 winning the State Championship, had very little time to get a Junior Varsity going that year.

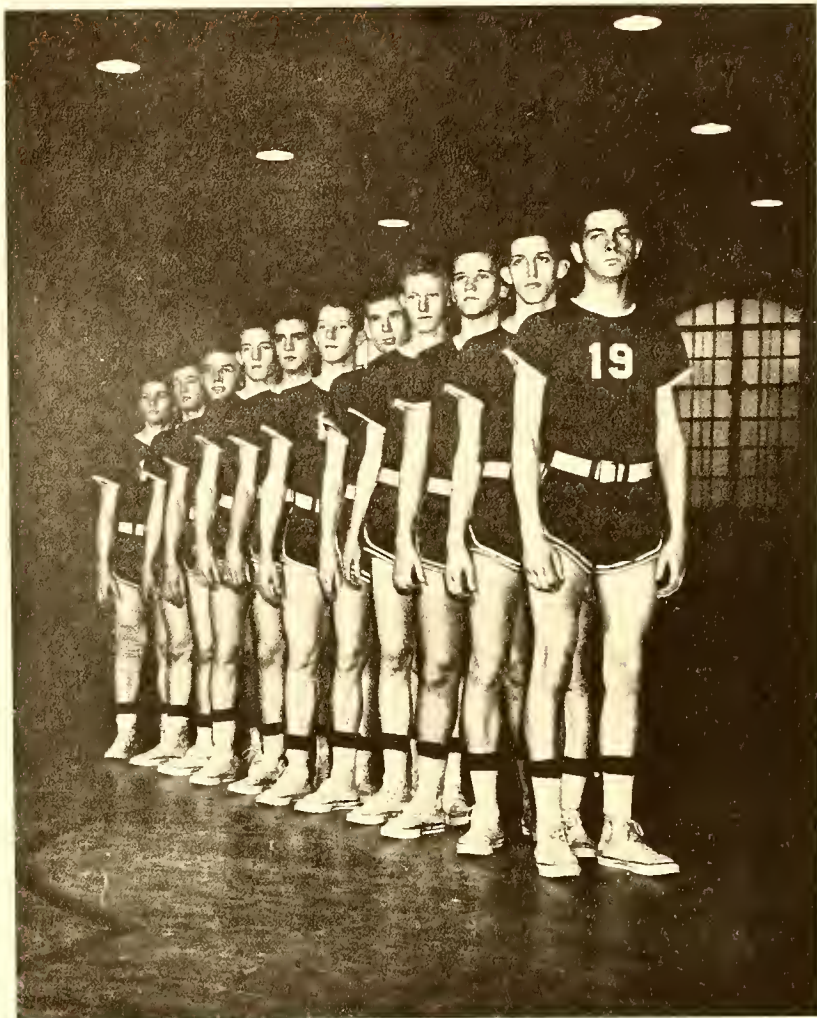
When 1948 rolled around, however, he came up with a Junior Varsity and Junior High team. From then until now, it has been progressing. The records of these teams are unbelievable.

No one will ever know how much the athletic program has helped Coach Caruso, unless it is he. Many are the number of fine ballplayers who have come up from one or both of the teams.





# Basketball



Ed Loughlin

Horace Williams

Tyson Jennette

Lawrence Renn

Perry Faulkner

Fred Beasley

Bobby Young

Bobby Renn

Offie Lockemy

George R. Watkins

Sam Watkins

The 1951 basketball team was the best ever manned by the seniors, for from last year's team only a few had been graduated.

Some of the boys saw a lot of action last year, and they were the ones whom Coach Joe Caruso was counting on to come through this year.

Jimmy Trado, a demon of a player, was really well-polished and a steady ball player on offense as well as defense.

Chick Young is the lad that you have heard so much about. He was the high scorer on the team, his highest score for any one game being 29 points.

Horace Williams is the boy who brings up the height average of the team.

Ed Loughlin, a rangy boy of 6'2", has played guard, center, and forward, and he did a great job at all three.

Two more assets to the team were the Watkins twins. We all know these two fine ball players—two of the scrapiest basketball players to have ever worn the old blue and white. With a natural eye for the hoop and the ability to steal the ball, these two will long be remembered by the students.

The reserve unit also deserves a lot of credit for the swell job they did. Next year you will be

able to see just what they can do by themselves.

The first game of the season was with the Littleton All-Stars. Behind at the half 13 points, the Bulldogs proved to be up and coming as they staged a brilliant comeback and won the game 52 to 51.

Taking to the road for the first time of the season, the Bulldogs again did a great job. Topping Hillsboro for the first time in three years, the H.H.S. cage team burned the nets to the tune of 65 to 41.

The third game came up, and this time the team did something that hasn't been done for a long time. The "classy" Bulldogs scored 74 points to defeat the Lambda Chi Alpha Fraternity 74 to 52.

With the odds of luck gaining against them, the Bulldogs lost to Methodist Orphanage, Chapel Hill, and Durham. The tide changed, and the Bulldogs took their second conference win by beating their old rival, Oxford.

The Bulldogs had the best team that has been seen around here in many a day.



Sam Watkins, *Guard*



Horace Williams, *Center*



Ed Loughlin, *Guard*



George R. Watkins, *Forward*



Bobby Young, *Forward*



# Record for Past Four Years

## FOOTBALL

	<i>Won</i>	<i>Lost</i>	<i>Tie</i>
1947.....	11	1	1
1948.....	8	3	
1949.....	11	2	
1950.....	7	3	1
Total.....	37	9	2

## BASKETBALL

1947.....	2	8
1948.....	2	10
1949.....	7	11
Total.....	9	29

## BASEBALL

1947.....	1	9
1948.....	2	10
1949.....	10	4
Total.....	13	23

	<i>Won</i>	<i>Lost</i>	<i>Tied</i>
Total in all sports for the four ending ..	61	61	2





# Cheerleaders



Left to right: Frances Delbridge, Patsy Glenn, Libby Bruin, Ida Rose Nethery, Shirley Knight, Love Joy Dickerson (Head Cheerleader).

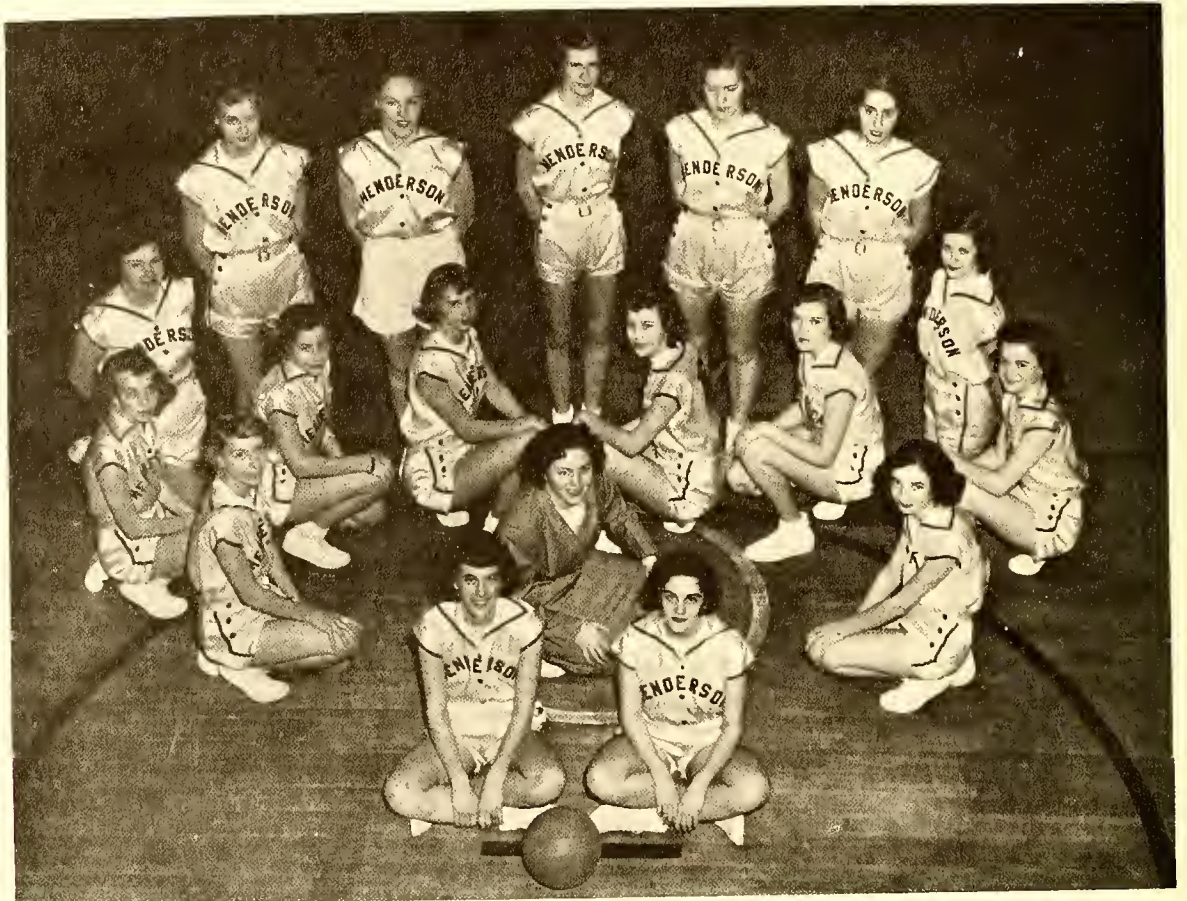


## JUNIOR VARSITY CHEERLEADERS

Front row, left to right: Mary Ann Brafford, Nellie Cobb, Audrey Duffell (Head Cheerleader), Becky Ellington, Ruth Watkins. Second row: Dick Gary, Margaret Rose, Sue Ann Bell, Gay Evans, Dallas Fuller.



## Girls' Basketball Team



*Left to right:* Ida Rose Nethery, Audrey Duffell, Jo Ann Weathers, Miss Dorothy Shearin (Coach), Janie Overby, Libby Bruin, Mary Vaughan, Joyce Ann Mitchiner, Mary Louise Harris, Earlene Smith, Love Joy Dickerson, Vera Rainey, Jackie Van Hook, Lauwana Wilkerson, Ann Burroughs, Jo Ann Mitchell, Miriam Woodlief, Barbara Coghill.

For the past two years the girls' basketball team has been under the supervision of Coach Dorothy Shearin. Last year the team had 16 victories, 2 defeats, and 1 tie to their credit at the end of the season. So far this season, the team has chalked up 6 victories and 1 defeat. This gives them a record for the two seasons of 22 victories, 1 defeat and 1 tie. We are very pleased with the record these girls have made.

Each victory can definitely be credited to the excellent team work of all the players. The substitutes do as much to help make the team as any member of the starting six. Their faithfulness in attending practice means much to the development of a good team.

Earlene Smith, Mary Louise Harris, and Co-Captain Ida Rose (The Hook) Neathery are doing a fine job of handling the forward positions. When this combination fails to click, Love Joy Dickerson, who was co-captain of last season's team, is switched from guard to forward. When the switch is made, Miriam Woodlief does a grand job of filling the vacant guard post. The other two thirty-two minute guards who play a splendid brand of ball are Jackie Van Hook and Co-Captain Audrey Duffell.

At the time the annual goes to press the 1950-51 record is as follows:

Henderson	41	.....	Littleton All Stars	37
Henderson	32	.....	Hillsboro	31
Henderson	55	.....	Methodist Orphanage	30
Henderson	21	.....	Chapel Hill	23
Henderson	31	.....	Oxford	27
Henderson	53	.....	Town	9
Henderson	46	.....	Methodist Orphanage	23





Smith, Forward



Harris, Forward



VanHook and Williams, Managers



Nethery, Forward



Dickerson, Forward and Guard



Vaughan, Guard



VanHook, Guard



Duffell, Guard



Woodlief, Guard



Bruin, Guard



# Girls' Athletic Association



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The Girls' Athletic Association promotes and sponsors a program of athletics that is interesting, stimulating, and suitable for high school girls. This organization encourages participation for enjoyment of the sports and for the development of sportsmanship and character. Leadership is developed through student management.

Each year a metal is awarded to the girl voted by the club as the Best-All-Round. Last year this metal was awarded to this year's vice-president, Amaryllis Beasley.





## G.A.A. Volleyball Team



*First row:* Ann Williams, Alice Holliday, Joyce Ann Mitchiner, Nellie Cobb, Mary Ann Crews. *Second row:* Vera Rainey, Ferebee Satterwhite, Jo Ann Mitchell, Ann Burroughs, Barbara Coghill.

## G.A.A. Softball Team



*Left to right:* Ann Burroughs, Joyce Ann Mitchiner, Mary Ann Crews, Barbara Raines, Jo Ann Mitchell, Barbara Coghill, Janie Overby, Lauwana Wilkerson, Ferebee Satterwhite, Jackie Van Hook, Marie Roberson, Jo Ann Weathers.





## G.A.A. ACTIVITIES















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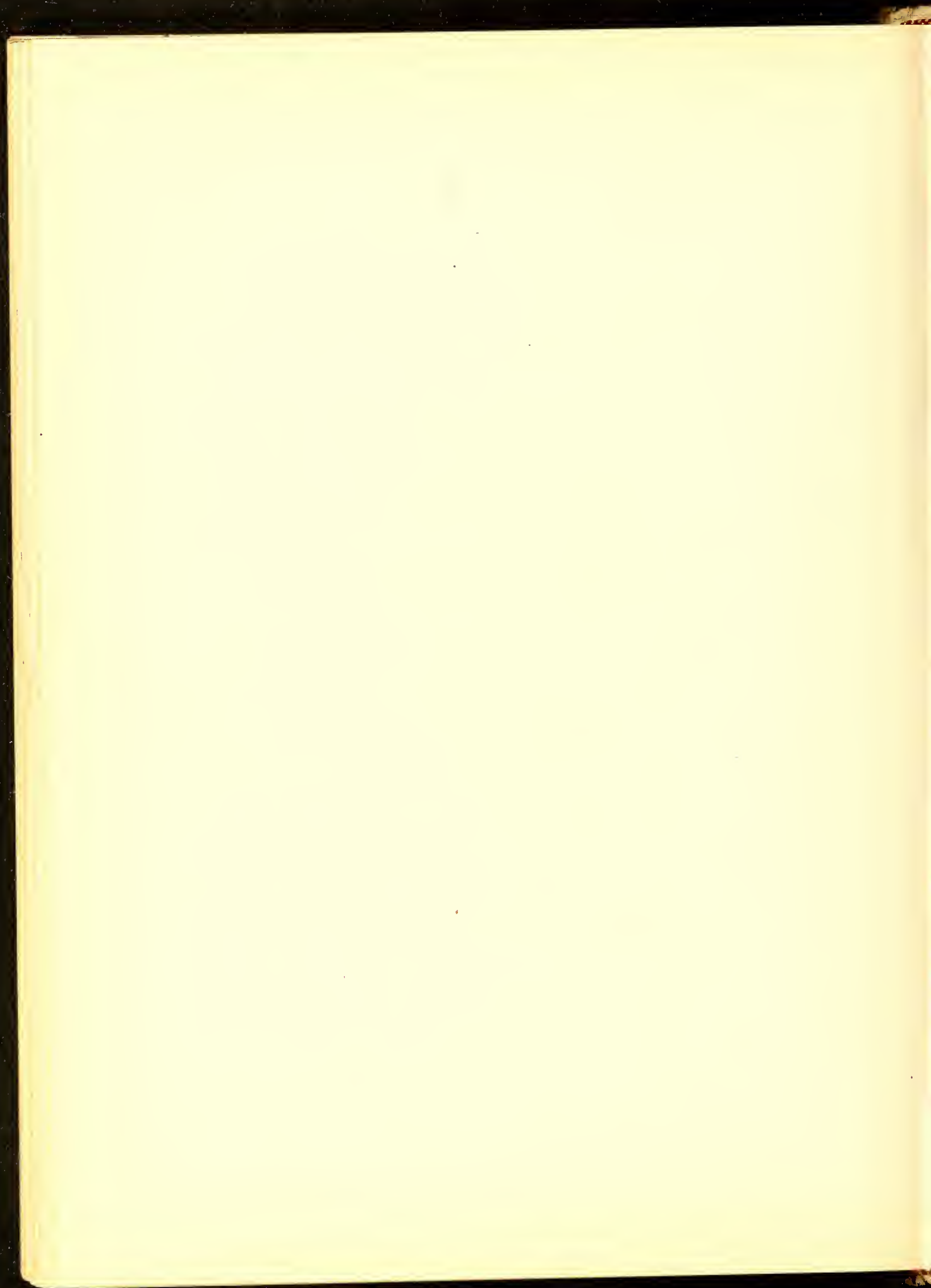
Superintendent of Vance County Schools from 1912 to 1949.  
Superintendent of the Henderson City Schools from 1923 to 1950.

The members of the PEP-PAC Staff wish to offer this page in memory of, and as a tribute to, Mr. Rollins, a sincere educator and a faithful friend of those who wanted and needed an education.

(The staff wishes to say that sixty pages of this yearbook had long been sent to the publisher before Mr. Rollins' death. That accounts for the position of this page.)

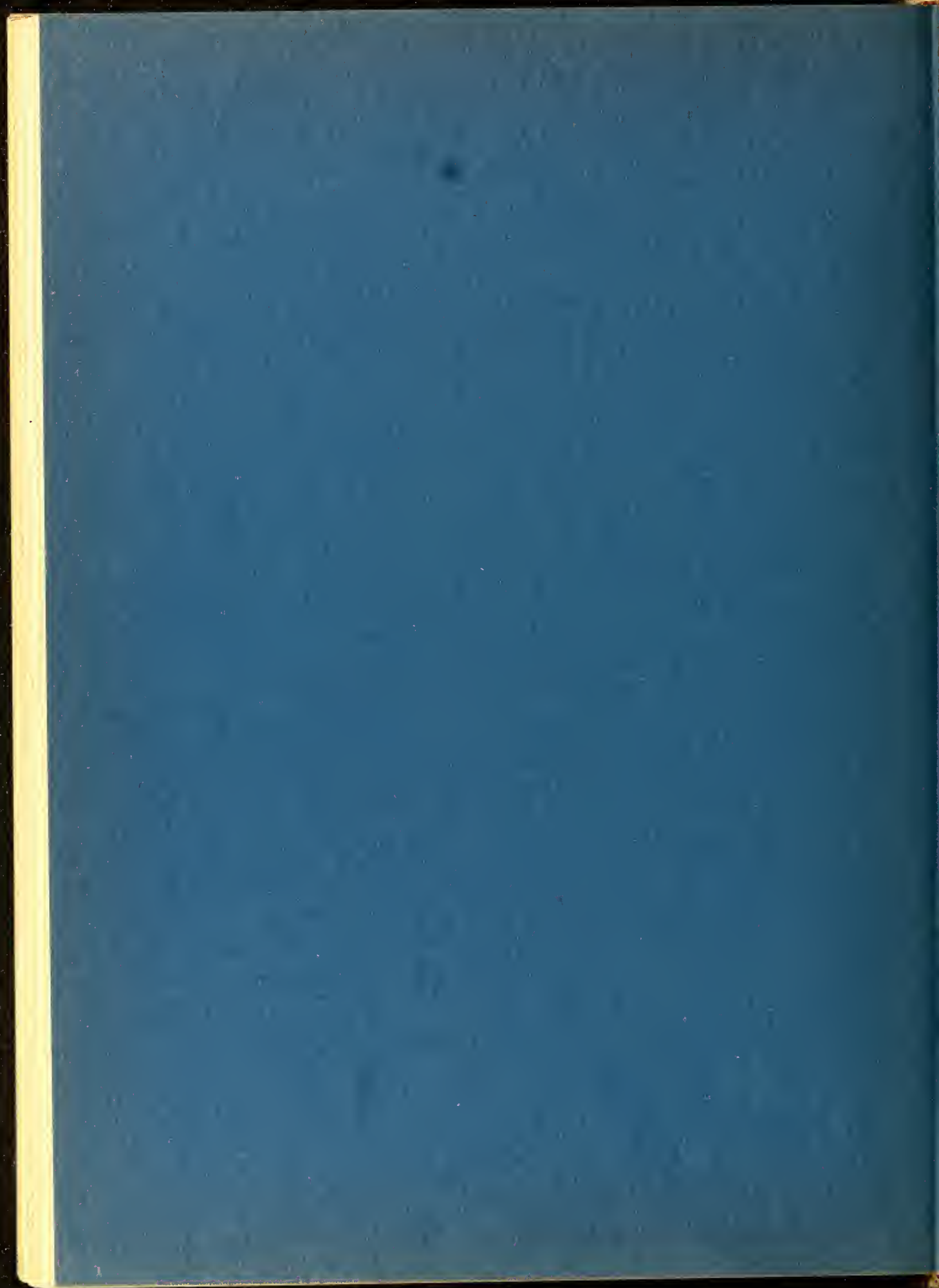
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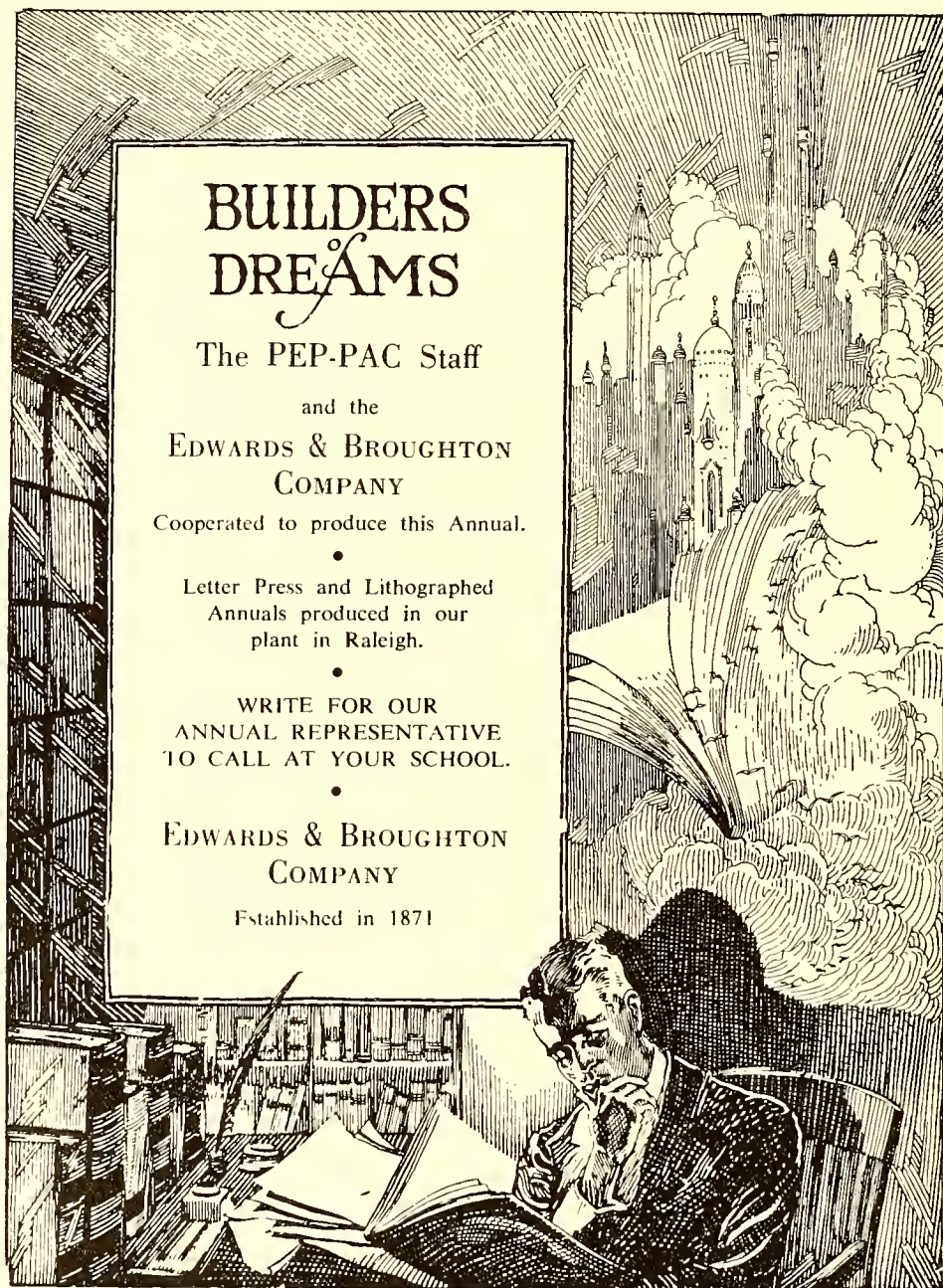
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